

It's A Fact
At the root of each of a cat's whiskers is a delicate nerve, and the cat can tell at once if the whisker is touched.

Changes For Assistance Act To Be Studied

State Assembly Turns To Other Vital Affairs

WASHINGTON, March 6.—(AP)—State legislation designed to clear away federal objections and release old age assistance and children's aid funds to Missouri for the current quarter-year reached the Social Security Board today.

Board officials said it would require several days to analyze the legislation. They said the question of making the Missouri grants might be brought up at a board meeting Friday or next week.

The legislation makes actual need a major requirement for old age assistance eligibility and changes the manner of appeal from rulings of the Social Security Commission of Missouri on pension applications.

Cheer Radiated

JEFFERSON CITY, March 6.—Missouri's law makers faced an ever growing pile of work today, but they were happier as a group than in weeks—the social security bugaboo was out of the way.

Early arrivals from week-end visits to their constituencies radiated cheer. Man for man they rejoiced that their first big job was done and that the "pressure" from the "old folks" was "off."

However, major efforts of the session remained. Regarded as two of the most important problems before the economy pledged assembly are those of taxation and the threatened "educational crisis" in the state's metropolitan centers.

Several proposals aimed at increasing the state's revenue have advanced while the social security issue held the spotlight, but all are far from perfection and passage.

Awaiting action in the house are two bills designed to enrich the state \$7,000,000 more annually than have been pouring into its coffers—one providing for a new scale of truck license fees and another establishing a 2 per cent use tax.

Should "anything happen" to the house sales tax bill, a similar measure can be taken up in the senate. This "back-stop" bill was introduced last week "just as a precaution" by Sen. Allen McReynolds (D), Carthage.

Definite attempts to solve the "inequities" of distribution of the state's school funds also were expected in both houses, probably this week.

The Hamlin-Phillips bill revising the 1931 school law and designed to provide "a more equitable" allotment of the monies to city schools without affecting to any great extent the aid to the rural districts has been before the house ways and means committee for nearly two weeks. Heads of the Kansas City and St. Louis school systems have given their approval to the principle of the bill.

Sen. McReynolds also has a substitute to this house bill pending in the upper chamber. It is designed to encourage consolidation of small school districts and thereby effect savings. It is sponsored by the State Teachers' Association. Representatives of the state department of education assisted in drafting the measure.

Appeal Taken In 'Gas' Tax Case

H. M. Hotsenpiller, manager of a filling station at 214 East Main street, arrested by Raymond Fetters, city license officer, charged with failure to pay city tax on one hundred gallons of gasoline, pleaded not guilty in police court this morning.

He was fined \$10 and costs by Judge C. W. Bente, and through his attorney, H. K. Bente, brother of the judge, appealed the case to the circuit court.

According to Officer Fetters he had an affidavit from Hotsenpiller that he had sold 550 gallons of gasoline. Believing that one ticket for on hundred gallons had been overlooked he questioned Hotsenpiller, who said that might have been the case. According to the officer Hotsenpiller did find the ticket and the city contends that the tax should have been paid on 650 gallons instead of 550.

Burglary At Morton Grocery

Twenty dollars in cash and three cartons of cigarettes were reported by Ronnie Morton to have been taken from his grocery store, 102 West Main street, some time early Sunday morning.

Entrance to the store was gained by way of the basement, the intruder entering through the manhole in the sidewalk and crawling into the basement, then to the main floor.

'Who's Next?' Is The Inquiry

KANSAS CITY, March 6.—(AP)—More than ever, the question "who's next?" was asked in Kansas City today after the week-end indictment by the county grand jury of Charles Gargotta on the same charge which County Prosecutor W. W. Graves dismissed after 27 continuances in court.

It was the dismissal of the Gargotta case caused Gov. Lloyd C. Stark to urge quite bluntly Graves be kicked out of office.

The grand jury, whose 128 indictments to date include two county officials, "big names" in gambling and operators of many well known night clubs, swung today into the last week of its whirlwind crime investigation.

Brief Session For Congress Is Indicated

Business Taxes Revision Is Being Sought

WASHINGTON, March 6.—President Roosevelt, who has taken personal charge of the administration's campaign to stimulate business, gave White House callers the impression today that he is willing for congress to adjourn as soon as it clears up its current slate.

Representative Rayburn of Tex., house majority leader and one of the congress chieftains at the weekly White House conference, said Mr. Roosevelt reiterated that he had nothing new to submit to congress.

On that basis, Rayburn predicted a "reasonably early" adjournment.

What went on in the conference, no one would say. Those attending did have an opportunity to discuss an economy bloc contention that only by reducing expenditures can the government create industrial confidence. Mr. Roosevelt's calling in of the party leaders was the first of two actions having a bearing on business improvement.

Peace Group To Meet

He also fixed the opening meeting of the CIO-AFL peace committee for 2:30 p. m. tomorrow. It probably will be devoted to arranging procedure for the negotiations.

The immediate legislation sought by the economy advocates is a revision of business taxes. Secretary Morgenthau on Saturday promised Senator Harrison (D-Miss) and Rep. Doughton (D-NC) that the treasury would make recommendations as soon as possible after March 15 tax.

Senate Leader Barkley hoped for a quick vote on the only major issue in the \$358,000,000 army expansion measure—proposal to fix the limit of air corps strength at 6,000 planes instead of the 5,000 approved by the house. Passage of the bill by midweek is expected.

A modified government reorganization bill came before the house, and administration chiefs confidently predicted its passage in a few days. The bill was de-

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Debate Opens On Reorganization

WASHINGTON, March 6.—(AP)—A campaign for legislation empowering the president to reorganize the government moved onto the House floor today, with Rep. Cochran (D-Mo.) asserting its objective was to "destroy that great monster, bureaucracy," before bureaucracy destroyed the government.

Cochran, chairman of the special reorganization committee, opened debate on a compromise reorganization bill.

"Failure of the Congress to pass this legislation or for the president to fail to abide by the mandate that it carries if it does pass," he said, "simply means the continuation of the inefficiency that has prevailed, not only during this administration, but previous administrations."

He asserted that for fifty years presidents had been recommending government reorganization, but Congress would not take over the reorganization task itself.

Naval Officer Dies Over Sale of Military Secrets

TOULON, France, March 6.—(AP)—For having sold naval secrets to a foreign power, a 25-year old French naval officer died at dawn today before a firing squad composed of volunteers from the fleet.

Ensign Marc Aubert, who had lived in terror during the weeks since he confessed his treason and was sentenced, with his head high. His last words were:

"I know how to die like a sailor."

Gandhi Grows Weaker In His Hunger Strike

Possibility of Intervention Is Strengthened

RAJKOT, India, March 6.—(AP)—The possibility of intervention by the British Viceroy of India in Mohandas K. Gandhi's dispute with the native ruler of Rajkot was strengthened today as Gandhi grew weaker on the fourth day of his "fast unto death."

A morning medical bulletin said that the frail little leader was so exhausted that any attempt to sit up brought attacks of giddiness.

The viceroy, the Marquess of Linlithgow, broke a tour of the Rajputana States and hurried back to New Delhi after appeals from Gandhi's Nationalist followers and Nationalist-controlled provincial governments.

Scores of protests against the adamant attitude of Thakore Saheb Shri Dharmendrasinhji, the native ruler, were telegraphed to Lord Linlithgow while a thousand peasants prayed outside the quarters where Gandhi was fasting.

Sixth Hunger Strike

It was Gandhi's sixth hunger strike.

The bald, 69-year-old Gandhi, a wisp of a man in loincloth and shell-rimmed spectacles, lay on a rustic cot on the veranda of a native dwelling, screened from the broiling sun and the eyes of those who gathered nearby to pray.

Already he had lost two pounds, his legs were swollen, his pulse had quickened and his blood pressure had risen from 168 to 185 having gained five points this morning.

Medical attendants said Gandhi was "decidedly weaker" and his heart could not stand the strain of the fast much longer.

The 29-year-old Thakore Saheb, whom Gandhi calls "my son," showed no signs of giving in to the Nationalist leader's demands that the people of Rajkot be given a greater voice in the government.

Gandhi's wife, Nasturibhai, was once again in Rajkot's jail with others arrested for participation in a civil disobedience campaign after Gandhi rejected the Thakore Saheb's offer of her freedom.

Thirty Injured In Rioting

CALCUTTA, March 6.—(AP)—Thirty persons were injured today in communal rioting. Several shops were looted and burned.

(A dispatch yesterday from Benares said British army patrols fired into the ranks of rioters. Week-end casualties there and in several other Indian cities totaled at least 35 dead and 200 injured, according to an unofficial estimate.

(Animosity between Hindus and Moslems, brought to the surface by the Friday celebration of the Moslems' sacred Mohurum feast day, was the basis of most of the clashes.)

Parliament In Belgium Dissolved

BRUSSELS, March 6.—(AP)—King Leopold today signed a decree dissolving Parliament and setting April 2 as the date for a general election, after efforts to form a cabinet failed.

A recommendation of the council of ministers said dissolution was the only way to break a deadlock.

Belgium has been without a cabinet since the resignation of that of Hubert Pierlot on Feb. 27 when Socialist members declined to collaborate because of Pierlot's attempt to balance the budget by slashing salaries and pensions.

Grocery Employees To Have Dance Tuesday

The Sedalia Grocery Employees Association will assemble at 8 p. m. Tuesday night at its new meeting place in St. Francis Hotel. Following the meeting there will be a dance and refreshments. All grocery employees, owners, managers and salesmen are invited to attend.

To Give Address To Church Group

The Associated Churches of Sedalia will meet this (Monday) evening at the First Methodist church, Fourth and Oage, at 7:30 for its regular monthly session and a special speaker from Springfield, Mo.

The Rev. Walton Cole, pastor of the Broadway Methodist church in Springfield and chairman of the community recreation organization, is to speak to the meeting on the work of that organization in Springfield. The group includes members from the Springfield Chamber of Commerce, the service clubs of the city, and the heads of the social agencies of the community. It has the responsibility of planning the summer recreational program of the entire city. Rev. Mr. Cole is among the most active and experienced workers in the organization.

The meeting of the Associated churches this evening will consider several important amendments to the constitution. All the representatives of the member churches are urged to attend. The meeting is open to the general public to hear Mr. Cole.

Ex-Envoy Fined as Hit-Run Driver



Fined \$250 after pleading guilty to hit-run charges of striking a Negro child with his automobile, Dr. William E. Dodd, former American Ambassador to Germany, and his daughter, Mrs. Martha Dodd Stern, are shown in Hanover Courthouse, Va., after the trial.

Rotary Hears Dr. McKinney

An Interesting Talk Is Given On Propaganda

Dr. Fred McKinney, of the psychology department of the University of Missouri, was an exceptionally interesting speaker at the noonday meeting of the Rotary Club at Hotel Bothwell today. He was presented by E. G. Kennedy, principal of Smith-Cotton high school. Jack McLaughlin, club president, was in charge of the business session.

Guests attending were A. W. Klang, guest of Dr. J. E. Canaday; Wm. R. Courtney, guest of D. S. Lamm; Rev. B. B. Bess, guest of Dr. R. M. Keller; A. H. Wilks, guest of C. F. Scott; H. O. Foraker, guest of A. A. Chambers; C. R. Thomas, Brookfield, guest of W. D. Smith.

Dr. McKinney spoke on "Psychology of Propaganda," enumerating the following principles as underlying all forms of mob behavior and propaganda:

1. Presence of a crisis which arouses strong emotion (as fear or hatred) and impulses.
 2. Use of the well established attitudes of the members of the group.
 3. Repetition of the fundamental theme.
 4. Prestige of the propagandist or his associates.
 5. Selection of ideas favorable to the propaganda.
 6. Use of simple, direct and concrete language.
 7. Primary-putting forth ideas before others propound contrary ideas.
 8. Use of intense and vivid stimuli in presenting material.
 9. Creation of the impression of universality in the group—create belief that everyone agrees with the propaganda.
 10. Let the propaganda lead to actions.
- The above, he said, are the basis of all good propaganda and many campaigns that have failed lacked some of these major factors.

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Legion Post to Meet

The American Legion Post 16, will meet in the old postoffice building at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

Increase For Recreational Areas Urged

Would Acquire More Lands In Parks System

JEFFERSON CITY, March 6.—Addition of eight recreational areas to the state park system was urged today by the Missouri planning board following a two-year survey of the public's out-of-door play habits.

The board's report declared it was "the state's responsibility to afford outdoor recreation within two or three hours traveling distance for everybody" and emphasized the "need for reasonably accessible state parks or recreational areas."

The areas recommended for acquisition were:

In Northeastern Missouri, a large acreage of marginal land in Schuyler, Adair, Scotland or Knox counties.

In Northwestern Missouri, a large area of wooded bluffs along the Missouri river in Holt or Andrew county.

A large area of bluffs and Missouri river bottom lands in Platte, Clay, Ray, Jackson or Lafayette county within 40 miles of Kansas City.

In Central Missouri, wooded bluffs along the Missouri river in Boone, Callaway, Monticue, Cole or Osage county.

A large wooded area on the upper western reaches of the Lake of the Ozarks.

In Western Missouri, a large acreage of wooded river land in Vernon, Barton, Cedar or Dade county; and in Southeastern Missouri, a large area of wooded Mississippi river bluff land in Perry or Cape Girardeau county and "a moderate" acreage in Pemisot, Dunklin, or New Madrid county.

In view of the excellent coverage of the Ozark country which will be provided by state parks and state and national forests, it is not believed that additional new state parks are needed in that section," the report said.

Missouri's park system now comprises 12 state parks, four recreational areas, four state forests and three state wildlife areas as well as several smaller projects totaling 52,512 acres. Should the recommended areas be acquired the acreage would approximate 78,000 acres.

Public investment in Missouri's park system has been approximately \$16,723,000 but only \$1,465,000 has been paid by the state the report said. The rest of the money represents federal expenditures through the civilian conservation corps, the works progress administration and the national park service.

Two Injured In An Auto Wreck

A Ford V-8 car occupied by Huck Berry, 315 South Massachusetts avenue, George Morrison, 227 South Monticue avenue, Howard May, 1422 East Broadway and Otto Thomas, 403 East Seventeenth street, was wrecked just east of the underpass on highway 50, early Sunday morning. Apparently the driver skidded off the pavement in going around a curve.

May and Thomas were treated for minor injuries at the Bothwell hospital. The car was badly wrecked.

Senate OK On Increase Of Planes

Six Thousand Maximum Is Approved

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The senate approved today an administration-sponsored proposal to increase the army air corps authorized strength of 6,000 planes.

The vote was 54 to 28.

Some senators had demanded that the authorization be limited to 5,500 planes.

Today's senate vote came during consideration of the administration's \$358,000,000 defense bill.

The house had approved a 5,500 plane limit, but the senate military committee recommended a 6,000 maximum.

Present law authorized 2,300 planes.

Senator Clark (D-Mo.) initiated the senate move to restore the house limitation.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Admiral William D. Leahy, chief of naval operations renewed today the navy's effort to obtain congressional authority for a \$5,000,000 improvement program on the tiny island of Guam, 1400 miles from Tokyo.

Despite a previous assertion of Senator Walsh (D-Mass), chairman of the senate naval committee, that the Guam proposal should be dropped for the time being because some critics considered it a war threat toward Japan, Leahy told the senate committee:

"The opposition has in general been based on the assumption that what is really intended is the fortification of Guam so as to make it an important and strongly defended naval base for air-planes and submarines."

"This is not the case; the only improvements contemplated at the present time are building of a breakwater and dredging to improve the seaplane take-off area and minor preparations for handling planes."

The naval official said a \$5,000,000 authorization for improving airplane facilities at Guam would be of great value to existing American commercial airlines as well as to the operation of any naval patrol planes that might be in the Guam area.

He contended that Guam was of great importance as a possible air and submarine base "from which to protect our overseas commerce from the Dutch East Indies, where essential strategic materials necessary to maintain our industries are obtained."

"It is of value," he added, "as a possible naval station at which to base our Asiatic fleet when the United States withdraws from the Philippines in 1946."

Senator Johnson (R-Calif.) expended Leahy if a \$5,000,000 expenditure at Guam would not be just as objectionable to some interests as if this country went ahead and fortified the island.

Leahy said he saw no grounds for any power objecting to the proposed improvements.

"A \$5,000,000 expenditure against a hostile country—if there be any such—would be of no value whatever, would it?" Johnson inquired.

"How much would it take to make Guam safe from assault?" Leahy estimated that with an \$80,000,000 expenditure Guam could be made difficult for a possible enemy to take. Something in the neighborhood of \$200,000,000 would be necessary to make it impregnable, he said.

Firemen Unable to Locate Fire Reported

The fire department made a run to Fifth street and Harrison avenue this morning. The report, sent in from Fourth street, was that someone saw a blaze on the northeast corner of Fifth and Harrison, but firemen arriving were unable to find even a bonfire.

The department was called to 2500 South Ohio avenue about 7 o'clock Sunday night. A short in a wire in a playhouse at the home of Charles Evans threatened damage, but none resulted.

Lone Redskin Goes On A Strange Warpath

HOLLYWOOD, March 6.—A lone redskin went on a strange warpath in Hollywood today, defending Geronimo, the deadliest Apache, against the plotting of paleface screen writers.

Geronimo, who terrorized Arizona for nearly half a century, is estimated to have cost the United States government \$32,000,000 to conquer him and his tribe four times.

N.W. Paramount is spending an additional sum to fictionalize a few bloody episodes of his career for a new picture entitled "Great Enemy."

New Defense Council In Spain Sue For Peace

Publicity Directors In a Visit to City

E. L. Preston, former Sedalian, now publicity director for the State Highway Commission, and Al C. Zander, publicity director for the unemployment compensation commission, were in Sedalia and had lunch at Hotel Bothwell today, en route to Liberty, Mo., to attend a meeting of the state historical society. Senator Allen McReynolds is president of the society and will preside at the meeting.

Ministers For A Wait Period On Marriages

Favor Some of Bills Before The State Assembly

Motions growing out of the report of the civic affairs committee held the attention of the Ministerial Alliance Monday morning for most of its regular monthly meeting outside of the transaction of routine business.

A motion was passed regarding four bills under consideration in the state legislature, with directions to the secretary of the Alliance to formulate appropriate letters to our representatives. The letters will be signed by all the members of the Alliance concurring in the action, which was unanimous among those present at the meeting. The bills under consideration were those pertaining to a three-day period between the issuance of marriage licenses and their solemnization, a required health examination before the marriage ceremony, and the local option bill for better control of the liquor traffic. On these bills the Alliance voted favorably.

The meeting was opposed to the passage of the bill to legalize gambling at horse racing in Missouri.

The Alliance also voted to send letters of protest to the senators and representatives in Congress regarding the placing of the churches under the social security act, as being detrimental to the existing pension system of the churches and, more particularly, as being a threat to the present separation of church and state.

A committee consisting of Dr. Q. R. Wright, chairman, Rabbi N. E. Barash and Dr. R. A. Waggoner was appointed by the president, the Rev. J. C. English, to consider a discussion meeting on the bill pending before Congress touching on relation between church and state.

Plans for the hall of religion at the Missouri State Fair were discussed, but no decision so far has been made as to the new director of the exhibit to succeed the Rev. O. J. Rumpf, who has directed the exhibit for the last two summers.

Admits Helping In A Suicide

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., March 6.—(AP)—Mrs. Marie Burckhalter today pleaded guilty to a manslaughter charge in the suicide of her husband last Nov. 19, an act she was alleged to have aided and encouraged.

She entered her plea over objections of her lawyer, Mortimer C. O'Brien, who told the court it was contrary to his advice and that he believed "she would be acquitted."

Mrs. Burckhalter was accused of helping her husband run a hose from the exhaust pipe of his car into the front seat. Suspicion fell on her when she "wisecracked" with detectives about the death.

Aircraft Corporation Appreciates Invitation

Replying to an invitation from the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce to locate one of its plants in this city, the Consolidated Aircraft Corporation of San Diego, in a letter received today, expresses appreciation for the invitation and states "it will be filed under property plant sites."

Broke Into Paint Store

Intruders who entered the Dugan wall paper and paint store, 116 East Fifth street, Sunday afternoon, took twenty-five pennies, according to a report to police headquarters. Entrance was gained by removing a pane of glass from a basement window.

The Weather Noozie

Fair tonight and Tuesday. Colder in extreme southwest portion tonight; rising temperature Tuesday.

Lake of Ozarks Stage

Lake of Ozarks ten and six tenths feet below full reservoir.

Phases of The Moon

Full moon March 5; last quarter, March 5; new moon, March 20; first quarter, March 28.

Sunrise and Sunset
Sunrise 6:42 a. m., sunset 6:15 p. m.

Weather
Temperature Today:
2:30 a. m. 24 degrees
7 a. m. 26 degrees
12 noon 40 degrees

Sunday
Low temperature 3 a. m.—37 degrees.
Maximum temperature—52 degrees.
Rain .15 of an inch.

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Big Business That Is Really Big
The growth of insurance, especially since the World War of 20 years ago, has come so gradually and is so generally accepted, that few people have realized how tremendous a factor of the national economy is here centered.

Senator Joseph C. O'Mahoney, therefore, is not the only one who was "amazed" and "startled" at some of the facts brought out by the recent hearings of his own Temporary National Economy Committee.

These hearings were no muck-rake. For once, no scandal was evoked, none sought. O'Mahoney himself made clear that "nothing whatever was developed at the hearings to reflect on the integrity or the ability of the men who administer these huge organizations. I am personally satisfied," he continued, "that there is not a single responsible official of any of these companies who is not as sincerely interested in restoring and promoting economic prosperity as is any public official."

That is certainly reassuring, and a welcome change from the usual investigation, which plumbs the depths of human sordidness.

But O'Mahoney's committee has sought to go deeper, and to find out something about what makes economic life tick in America today, and what makes it stop ticking occasionally. And its revelations of the tremendous part played by the insurance companies in that economy today will be indeed startling to many beside himself.

How well understood is it, for instance, that at the end of last year total assets of legal reserve life insurance companies stood at \$27,650,000,000? Or that this is an increase of seven and a half billions in the past seven years?

That staggering figure is greater than the national wealth of any state except New York or Pennsylvania. It crowds close to the entire national income in the depression year of 1933 (44,420,000,000).

The comment of Frederick H. Ecker, of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, that these assets are being held for 65,000,000 policy-holders and thus affect directly perhaps 100,000,000 Americans including beneficiaries, only makes the figures more staggering.

An increasing proportion of all private and public debt is slowly drifting into the hands of the insurance companies. The company found that the 49 largest legal reserve companies now hold 11 per cent of all the direct and guaranteed debt of the federal government, and 9.9 per cent of all municipal, state, and political subdivision debts, to say nothing of 11 per cent of all farm and 14 per cent of all city mortgages.

To cite these things is not necessarily to criticize either the insurance companies or the way they are run. It is simply to point out that so tremendous a concentration has become a key factor in both private and public business.

The amazing truth is that insurance companies' assets are increasing faster than insurance itself.—Senator O'Mahoney, summing up hearings on the insurance business.

I thoroughly believe it is the duty of the child possessing great wealth to support a parent possessing no funds or income.—Count Salm, who wants his 14-year-old son to support him.

A Changing Balance?

It is not yet official, but one London paper has indicated that British airplane production is nearing the old war-time peak, and that within three months' time Britain may be turning out more planes than any other country, Germany included.

"Big factories have been given "carte blanche" orders—that is, orders to just go ahead and build as many planes as they can, as fast as they can. Several large factories are nearing completion, and at least two large factories recently completed large orders ahead of schedule. Several are producing planes at a rate which the Air Ministry had thought impossible.

If these things are true (they are not certain as yet) then a new face has been put on European politics.

In September of last year it was widely felt that mass-production and organization of air fleets had changed the balance of power in Europe. It was the backwardness of the British and French in this field which left them with weak hands in the game Germany elected to play.

But competitive armament is a game that any country can play, given basic resources. Perhaps the next showdown may find stronger cards in British and French hands. In that case there can be no just complaint from those who have chosen the game.

Newspapers Are Improving

I like all other institutions, the newspapers are under critical fire these days. It is a time of criticism, and of examination of things as they are, to see if they can't be made better.

Newspapers, being edited by human beings, aren't perfect. But they have been making a conscious effort, especially during the past 10 years, to improve themselves. And they have made great progress.

A recent study of them by the Northwestern National Life Insurance Company shows these things:

They give their readers from 250 to 500 per cent more information than they did 50 years ago.

They print far more explanatory and background material to help readers to understand what news means.

They print a wealth of pictures formerly not available.

Editorial opinion has largely been eliminated from news columns.

Much more material on science, health and beauty, and subjects interesting to women is presented.

More able by-line comment is printed by writers who may differ with the policies of the paper, thus giving readers varying points of view on events.

Every institution must improve or die. And anyone can see, by going to the library and looking at newspapers of 50 years ago, how greatly newspapers have improved, and are still improving, to meet the needs of the times.

• So They Say

Without struggle, no growth. Without struggle, not even life itself.—Winfred Rhoades.

All is confusion in Hollywood now.—Nancy Carroll, appearing on the New York stage.

The movie industry has been built on the "escapist" film, but a new Hollywood is appearing on the horizon.—Walter Wanger, Hollywood producer.

• Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

Judge James Humphrey and family will leave Sedalia this month to return to their former home, Junction City, Kans. Judge Humphrey has been engaged in the profession of law and Mrs. Humphrey is president of the Nautilus club.

Rev. Frank Lenig went to Green Ridge this morning where he laid the corner stone of the new First M. E. church there. The old structure was destroyed by fire last November.

S. H. Beiler was elected president and Ira Hinsdale, vice-president of the Sedalia Ice and Cold Storage company at a meeting of the stockholders today.

John R. Gentry, of Sedalia, manager of the St. Louis horse show, and for whom the famous 2:00½ record-holding pacing horse was named, was the subject of an article in the Kansas City Journal today.

• "Just Town Talk"

THE OTHER Day	TURNED THE Key
A WELL Known	AND STARTED OFF
SEDALIA GENTLEMAN	THEY DROVE Out
DROVE TO Cole Camp	SEVERAL MILES
ON BUSINESS	IN THE Country
PARKED HIS Car	AND BEGAN To Talk
ON THE Street	ABOUT CARS
AND GOT Out	"WHAT MODEL Car
HE MET A Friend	IS THIS?"
WHO SUGGESTED	THE COLE Camp Man
THEY DRIVE Out	ASKED THE Sedalian
IN THE Country	"I DON'T Know"
TO LOOK At	SAID THE Sedalian
SOME PIGS	"ISN'T THIS
THAT WERE	YOUR CAR?"
FOR SALE	"NO"
THEY WALKED Down	SAID THE Cole Camp Man
THE STREET	"ISN'T IT Yours?"
A LITTLE	"GOOD GRACIOUS No"
THEN BACK	WAS HIS Reply
AND STOPPED	AND HURRIEDLY
AT A Car	THEY DROVE Back
"GET IN And	INTO TOWN
LET'S DRIVE Out	FOR EACH Thought
TO LOOK At Them"	THE CAR Belonged
SAID THE Cole Camp	TO THE Other
MAN	FORTUNATELY
"ALL RIGHT"	THE OWNER
SAID THE Sedalian	WAS A Friend
AS HE Slid Over	AND THE Matter
TO THE Driver's Seat	COULD BE Explained
	I THANK YOU.

• The Daily Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen

WASHINGTON — One of the most active backers of SEC Chairman William O. Douglas for the Brandeis vacancy on the Supreme Court is a Republican—Senator William E. Borah.

The veteran Idaho liberal is drumming up support for Douglas all over the country—particularly on the Pacific Coast. Although Douglas was raised and educated in Washington State, friends of some other candidates charge that he is not a real Westerner, having lived his more mature life in the East.

To disprove this Borah is rallying Western endorsements for Douglas and has piled up an impressive list, particularly from businessmen and lawyers.

Borah is urging Douglas' appointment for two reasons: First, he says the brilliant young New Dealer is the ablest of those in the running; second, as a corporation and financial expert he is particularly fitted to succeed Brandeis, who was the Court's authority in these fields.

Note—Some of the most prominent West Coast newspapers are urging Douglas' selection.

Inner Circle Rivalry
The inner circle, which was unanimous behind Justice Felix Frankfurter, is divided regarding the successor to Brandeis.

Tommy Corcoran, Ben Cohen, and most of the other "downtown" militants are beating the drum for Douglas. Secretary Henry Wal-

lace and Midwestern New Dealers are pulling wires for Wiley Blount Rutledge, outstanding dean of the Iowa University law school, while various Administrationites in the Senate are rooting for Senator Louis Schwollenbach.

The rivalry is vigorous, but not acrimonious. The boys aren't calling each other names, but they are missing no bet to boost their candidates.

Garner's Aces
Star entertainer at the Vice President's dinner for the President and Mrs. Roosevelt was John Mulholland, noted magician. In one of his sleight-of-hand feats, he asked Garner to take five cards from the pack, look at them and lay them face down on a table.

Mulholland then placed a water tumbler on the cards and after a few moments told Garner to look at them. The hand contained four aces.

Some of Garner's presidential promoters claimed the incident was symbolic, showed that the Vice President held all the trump cards for 1940. But Garner, himself, didn't take it that way. An inveterate poker player, he was more interested in the potentialities of combining poker and magic.

"Do you play poker much?" he asked Mulholland.

"No," was the reply. "I can't afford to. If I won, I would be accused of not being a gentleman,

and if I lost I would be branded a lousy magician."

Small Business

The investment banking section of the Securities and Exchange Commission soon will launch regional hearings on the capital problems of small businessmen, which will be one of the most important business moves ever made by the Administration.

Behind it is a plan to do for credit-starved small businessmen what Federal Housing has done so successfully for people who want to build homes—provide them with the necessary capital.

To this end, a little-noticed bill already has been introduced in Congress by Senator James Mead of New York and Representative Robert G. Allen of Pennsylvania. It has the warm support not only of Administration leaders, but also of such powerful businessmen as Arthur Whiteside, president of Dun and Bradstreet, and Prentiss L. Connelly, head of the Business Advisory Council and brother of the president of the Manufacturers Association.

The bill is very simple. It would authorize the RFC to insure 80 per cent of loans, up to \$1,000,000 made by banks to small businessmen—just as the FHA insures 80 per cent of loans made by banks to home builders. These loans would be secured by first mortgages on real estate, personal property or by debentures, would bear interest not to exceed 4 per cent, and would be amortized over a 7-year period.

Recent night conferences to promote the bill have featured statements from Burt L. Knowles, head of the Associated General Contractors of America; Tyre Taylor, president of the American Federation of Little Businesses; and A. Barr Comstock, Boston attorney representing New England small business groups.

All were agreed that breaking the capital log-jam for the little fellows would do far more to improve business generally than large loans to big corporations. Knowles predicted, and was confirmed by Whiteside, that passage of the Mead-Allen bill would bring an immediate response to "at least 40,000 applications from small concerns now held down by lack of capital."

Jesse Jones
Chief worry is the otherwise promising picture is caused by the bulky shadow of Jesse Jones, chairman of the RFC. For five years, Jesse has had authority plus hundreds of millions of dollars to lend to small businessmen. But while pouring millions into banks, railroads and high-pressure promotions he has been an unscrupulous penny-pincher toward the little fellows.

In fact, had Jones displayed the same open-handedness toward them that he has toward the big

boys there would be no need to-day for the Mead-Allen bill. Moreover, there probably would not have been the same suzerainty in the nation's economy.

So some backers of the Mead-Allen bill are figuring that if the legislation is to be effective, Jones will have to be eased out of the RFC. Their present strategy is to persuade Roosevelt to "kick Jesse upstairs" to another job.

Whether this can be done remains to be seen. Of the two problems, passing the bill and unseating Jones, the latter is by far the toughest.

On The Loan Spot
Jesse Jones has been doing a lot of personal lobbying around Congress recently in order to get his Export-Import Bank extended for another two years. On one of his lobbying trips to Capitol Hill, a group of Senators invited Jesse to lunch with them, and he seized the opportunity to sell the idea of extending his bank.

Jesse Jones is both charming and loquacious. He talked at some length. And whenever he paused, Senator Mead, sitting at the other end of the table, would poke a long, lean finger at him and say: "Do we get our loans, Jesse? Do we get our loans?"

Before the luncheon was over, several Senators had joined almost in a chant: "Do we get our loans, Jesse? Do we get our loans?"

Note—Jesse got his Export-Import Bank OK'd by Congress. It will now be interesting to see what he does about small businessmen's loans.

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Fellowship of Prayer

Watchers of the Sky

Monday, March 6. Lift up your eyes on high, and behold who hath created these things . . . Read Isa. 40:26-31; Job 38:24-32. Those who see the stars only from city streets and through the smoke of factory chimneys—get at best, but poor intimations of Milky-ways and star-gemmed constellations. And yet seen from quiet open places, late winter constellations mount toward the zenith, the dormant fields are clothed with a mystic glory borrowed from the skies and the heavens declare the glory of God.

Our sense of God is like that. The murk of life, darkens it, crowds and pleasures and cares and feverish occupation cloud our vision. It is well to get away—sometimes—from the crowded ways of life to be rebaptized in the sense of the Eternal. We may gain a new version of His stars and share anew their peace.

Prayer: Lord of the Stars, Who spreadest above us Thy pavilion

of splendor, illumine our spirits with the upward vision. Forgive us our half-blinded eyes so rarely lifted above the confusions of our little world. Rebuke our clamor with the silence of Thy skies and so assure us that they who wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength. Amen.

Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. What is the one thing that is always correct to say when you are introduced?
 2. If you are a young woman, would you stand up when you are introduced to the mother of one of your friends?
 3. If you are a hostess sitting down at your own tea when a guest arrives, should you rise and go to meet him?
 4. If you are a woman wearing gloves should you remove the right glove before shaking hands?
 5. Is "Jim, shake hands with Bob Brown" a correct introduction?
- What would you say if—
You are a girl introducing your date to another girl—
(a) "Betty, this is Bill White?"
(b) "Miss Brown, Mr. White?"
(c) "Betty, may I introduce Mr. White?"

Answers
1. How do you do.
2. Yes.
3. Yes.
4. No.
5. No.
Best "What Would You Say" solution—All are correct; (a) is the least formal.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Substance" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday March 12, 1939.

Golden Text: Proverbs 3:3. "Honour the Lord with thy substance, and with the firstfruits of all thine increase."

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "O come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our maker. For he is our God; and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand" (Ps. 95: 6, 7, to period). The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "As God is substance and man is the divine image and likeness, man should wish to be, and in reality has, only the substance of good, the substance of Spirit, not matter. The belief that man has any other substance, or mind, is not spiritual and breaks the First Commandment, Thou shalt have one God, one Mind" (p.301).

• SERIAL STORY

WOMEN WANT BEAUTY!

BY LOUISE HOLMES
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Yesterday, The triumph in style as she emerges a new girl—Suzanne. She asks to see Mr. Harker alone and Kane is agast.

CHAPTER XIX

JOHN HARKER looked up from papers on his desk. He looked up with interest, but not the slightest sign of recognition. He got to his feet.

"How do you do," he said politely.

Susie inclined her head, enjoying the situation. It was drama and Susie had never experienced the heady sensation of holding the center of the stage.

"How do you do, Mr. Harker," she said.

He looked a bit confused. There was something familiar about her voice.

"May I do something for you?" He wore the flattering expression of a man who looks once, then quickly again.

"You have done something for me," Susie said softly, graciously. "So much that I can never thank you."

"Oh," he was enlightened now. "You have been following our Susie rules for beauty. May I say that you have been vastly successful?"

Susie laughed. The little play had gone far enough. "Yes," she said. "I have been following the Susie rules and I'm glad you are satisfied because—well, you see—I'm Susie."

There was an instant of stunned silence, then he shouted, "No," and again, "No."

"Yes, yes," Susie laughed. It was the proudest moment of her life.

Harker flung open the office door. "Hear—hear—," he shouted. And added, in a stentorian voice, "Presenting Suzanne. Come in—all of you."

SUSIE held court until the store closed. Mr. Harker complimented each and every member of his staff who had taken a part in the transformation. Susie thought he went out of his way to shake Jeff's hand, to congratulate him on the splendid publicity.

She heard Jeff say, "How about having her on parade, sort of as hostess, in the different departments? Wearing the famous Princess makeup, Avalon shoes, kitted frocks by Anslow and so forth. Advertising her appearance here and there through the store on different days. I think it would bring out a crowd."

She saw Mr. Harker nod, heard him say, "Great idea, Jeff—swell."

Jeff took Susie to dinner that night. From the menu she chose wisely and not too much. In fact she scarcely felt the need of food.

She was wrapped in the glory of achievement and success. Men at adjoining tables paid her the tribute of second and third glances, women looked frowningly at her clothes, smoothing their own garments, taking compacts from their purses to look into tiny mirrors with dissatisfaction. Quite humanly Susie reveled in the sensation she created.

Over a dessert of green gae ice without cake Jeff inquired, "Well, Susie, where do you go from here?"

She looked up, faintly startled by the question. Not once had she looked beyond the day when she was to burst her cocoon.

"I don't know," she faltered. "Mr. Harker wants me through the holidays, Miss Jones, in the dresses, suggested that I'd make a good model—"

"Not thinking of leaving Chicago, are you?" Jeff asked. For some vague reason, unknown to himself, Jeff did not want Susie to leave the city. "I'd be lonely as the dickens if you went away."

"Oh, I won't go away," she said quickly. The very thought of leaving Chicago made her feel lost, helpless. Could it be that Jeff lived in Chicago? The thought did not occur to her.

"You see I'm going to be a stray dog one of these days," he told her.

"I don't understand, Jeff." "Edna is wearing an emerald, completely smothered in diamonds. The Chief gave it to her." There was a queer tightness about his mouth as he attempted to appear unconcerned.

"How wonderful," Susie breathed.

"Yes—wonderful. I want Edna to be happy, cared for, but I don't know how I'm going to get along without her." Jeff was trying to laugh.

"I know, Jeff—that's bad," she went on sympathetically. Then she brightened. "But you'll have a home of your own one of these days—a wife and—"

She stopped, not quite pleased with the thought. "Ha," Jeff snorted. "I'm not the marrying kind. Be scared to death of a wife." But after a moment, when she said nothing he continued, "Do you know something, Susie? I'm absolutely in the dark concerning this thing called love. There must be such a thing or the poets and scenario writers wouldn't spend so much time building it up, but it leaves me cold."

Quite unexpectedly Susie remarked, "Love is a terrible thing, Jeff."

"Then why does everyone do it?"

"It's something you can't help." "Oh, rats—what do you know about it?"

"I know everything about it." Jeff was plainly disturbed. He glanced about the thinning room, puzzled. "Where is he? Do I know him? For gosh sake, Susie, why didn't you ever tell me?"

"I've never told anyone." "Jeff's distress was more and more obvious. He looked positively miserable.

"Does he love you?"

"Not yet." Dreamy-eyed, she twisted the stem of her goblet.

"LOOK here," Jeff said irritably. "give me the low-down, will you? I'm responsible for you. I can't have you running around loose like this."

"What do you mean, loose like this?"

"Well, loving some guy, thinking about him, getting all starry-eyed and silly." Jeff hadn't the remotest idea what ailed him. He was confused, he was baffled.

"There isn't much to tell," Susie began, the silly stars way back in her eyes. "Once upon a time I fell in love with a boy, he's a man now. Naturally he didn't know it. To him I was only the dumb-bell who passed out waffles over a counter. But he was nice to me, Jeff—so very nice." Her voice trailed away on a soft thrill.

"And you still love him."

"Oh, yes. It was because of him that I had to be beautiful, for him that I've starved and worked and struggled to this day. Do you think he'll like me, Jeff?" she asked with sudden wistfulness.

"When're you going to see him?" Jeff asked gruffly.

"I don't know—but I'll see him—if I have to cross the continent to find him." She spread her hands in a pretty, expressive gesture. "That's what it's all been about, don't you see?"

"Yeah—I see," Jeff was silent during the evening. A queer despondency held him speechless. In vain he endeavored to break through it, finally deciding that he must be suffering a letdown after the feverish advertising campaign.

His abstraction troubled Susie not at all. Jeff must feel terribly about his mother. She was sweet and understanding and friendly. Each time she caught a glimpse of herself in a mirror or plate glass window she completely forgot Jeff's difficulties. Intoxicated with her own surprising charms, she went to bed with a feeling of absolute contentment. From the unhappy past she carried only one memory. Dick Tremaine, the beautiful white knight of her dreams.

(To Be Continued)



"He can't be hungry—I made him eat a big lunch just before we left home, hoping it would improve his table manners."

and Clubs Society

The Beulah Yancey Junior Music club will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the home of Miss Marian Kanter, 610 West Sixth street.

All members of the Helen G. Steele Music club who plan to attend the luncheon at the club house Wednesday noon, and have

not made their reservations, must do so at the club house not later than Tuesday noon. They may make them by phoning 162.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Houchen, of Houstonia, entertained the following guests at a turkey dinner at their home Friday night, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Parkhurst, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Tevebaugh, Mrs. Bettie Crews, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rissler, Miss Elizabeth Parkhurst, Miss Mary Elizabeth Tevebaugh, John, William and Shelton Rissler.

Married 50 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Miller, who were married fifty years ago February 20, were honor guests at a gathering in the basement of the Antioch church Sunday. Mrs. Miller was formerly Miss Hattie Beauman.

Guests brought lunch and all spent a pleasant day. Those at

tending were, Mrs. T. H. Rumsey, Lois Rumsey, Mrs. Pearl Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Barrow, Arvella and Lorraine Barrow, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Alderman, Kenneth, Leslie and David Eugene Alderman, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mather, Lyle, Bobbie and Frances Englehart, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Miller and daughter Joyce, Miss Gertie Atwood, Max Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Hunter, Glenn Ray, Ruth and Erma Lee Hunter, Fred Rothenberger, Helen Elizabeth and Margaret Jane Rothenberger, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rothenberger and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Binder, Quentin, Dorris, Dennis and Vivian Binder, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Keyte, Bobby Keyte, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Klinworth, Eleanor, Elda and Edgar Klinworth, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Riecke, Eileen, Maurine and Velma Riecke, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Buchanan, Billy, Gerry Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Miller and baby, Charles Miller, Earl Miller, Rev. I. S. Nicholson and wife, Miss Lorraine Irvin, Gerald Thomas.

Horace Mann P. T. A., Meets Friday

Horace Mann Parent-Teacher Association will meet Friday, March 10, at 3 o'clock.

A program on "Safety" will be presented. Featured on the program will be a talk, given by Trooper Lester V. Estes, Missouri highway patrolman.

The pupils of the second grade will present a playlet, entitled, "What The Traffic Light See," with several other numbers, under the supervision of the teacher, Miss Cassie Bolton.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Lenten Services At Trinity Lutheran Church

Lenten services will be held at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the Trinity English Lutheran church, Tenth street and Osage avenue. The pastor, the Rev. Paul Luther Miller, will have as his topic, "Our Prayer." Everyone is invited to attend.

Donald McFatrach



Son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McFatrach, route 5, who was two years old January 8.

First Methodist Crusade Groups

There will be a meeting held in each of the following units next Wednesday night instead of a central meeting at the church. The meetings will begin at 7:30. The following homes have been opened for these meetings and the following persons have consented to lead:

Unit one and three will meet with Mrs. A. G. Hausam, 115 East Fifth street, and Rev. Perry Pierce will lead.

Unit number two will meet with Mrs. O. E. Palmer, 517 East Thirtieth, and J. T. Abney will lead.

Unit number four will meet with Mrs. Lee Peabody, 1319 South Osage, and Mrs. M. F. Wahrenbrock will lead.

Unit number five will meet with Mrs. Jake Cline, 1316 South Stewart, and Mrs. Harry Rogers will lead.

Unit number six will meet with Mrs. F. W. Koenig, 1015 West Broadway, and Mrs. G. L. Hermansader will lead.

Unit number seven will meet with Mrs. T. O. Sisson, 1207 West Fifth, and Ed McLaughlin will lead.

Unit number eight will meet with Miss Hattie Russell, North Grand, and Mrs. Harry Lambirth will lead.

Those living within these districts are urged to attend the meeting within their unit. The Crusade revival meeting will begin next Sunday under the leadership of Dr. J. F. Odom of Kansas City.

Education Class To Have Meeting Friday

The Educational class of Horace Mann P. T. A. will meet Friday, March 10, at 2 o'clock at the school.

Mrs. C. D. Michael will speak on "Projects and Purposes," the seventh article of the study course taken from the National Parent-Teacher magazine.

All patrons are urged to bring a friend and every one interested is invited to attend.

At Warehouse Meet

Frank Middleton, owner and manager of the Middleton Storage Co., this city, is a member of the executive committee of the Missouri Warehouse Association, and is in Jefferson City today in the interest of the new warehouse and trucking laws now before the state legislature.

Houstonia

Neighbors and friends helped Mrs. Thad Haggard celebrate her birthday at the Haggard home. Various games being enjoyed and refreshments served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Cummings and son, Mrs. Cochran Mr. and Mrs. Schouten and son, Miss Cecile Hyatt, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rhinehart and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Rhinehart and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hume, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Franklin, Miss Lucille Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Pauley, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pauley and little son, Mrs. B. T. Schondelmaier and family, Ralph Pauley, Richard Tevis, Merrill Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Haggard, sons and daughter, Ray, Rob and Lucile.

Mrs. J. W. Rissler was hostess to the Hard Time bridge club members Friday afternoon.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Freund has been named Marilyn Elizabeth Freund.

Larry Allan Cramer



Son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd E. Cramer, one year old January 6.

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her daughter and other relatives.

Mrs. Russell Wicker was hostess Tuesday evening to the G. H. A., members and a number of guests with five tables of bridge. A plate luncheon was served the following: Mrs. Sidney Johnson, Mrs. Wilbur Miller, Mrs. Frank Martin, Mrs. Early Davis, Mrs. Cecil Carter, Mrs. John T. Harris, Jr., Mrs. A. R. Rhinehart, Mrs. C. R. Rhinehart, Mrs. O. A. Milliken, Mrs. Nathan Harris, Mrs. J. W. Rissler, Mrs. Dewey Houchen, Mrs. G. H. Tevebaugh, Mrs. Jack Morris, Mrs. Ed Miller, Miss Mary Stephens, Miss Henrietta Smith, Miss Elizabeth Parkhurst, Miss Mary Elizabeth Tevebaugh, Mrs. Ed Miller received favor for high score and Mrs. Early Davis the guest trophy. The traveling favor went to Mrs. Rissler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Mitchell Have Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. James O. Mitchell, 4319 Roanoke Parkway, Kansas City, are parents of a son, born at the Bothwell hospital Sunday morning, March 5.

Mrs. Mitchell was formerly Miss Rovella Wood of this city, and Mr. Mitchell is a son of Dr.

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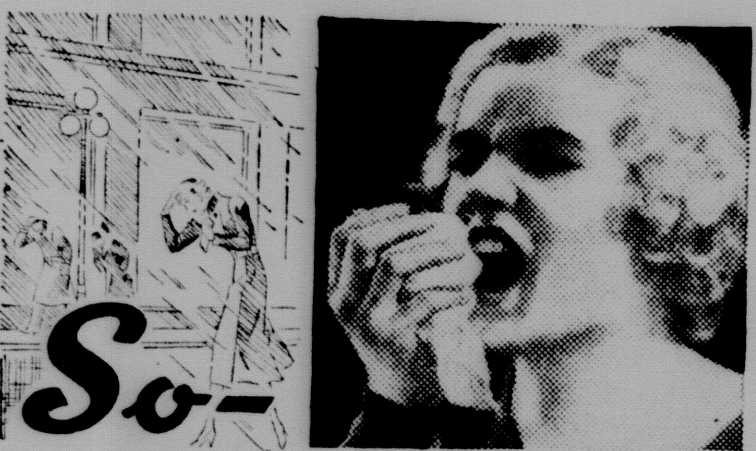
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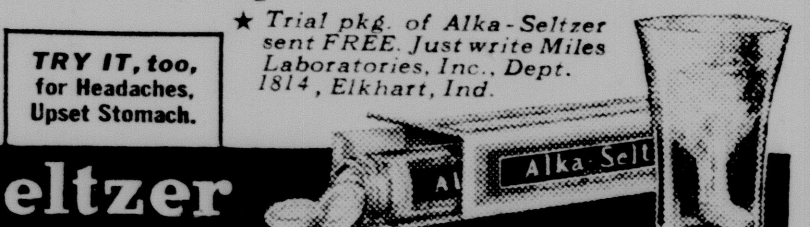
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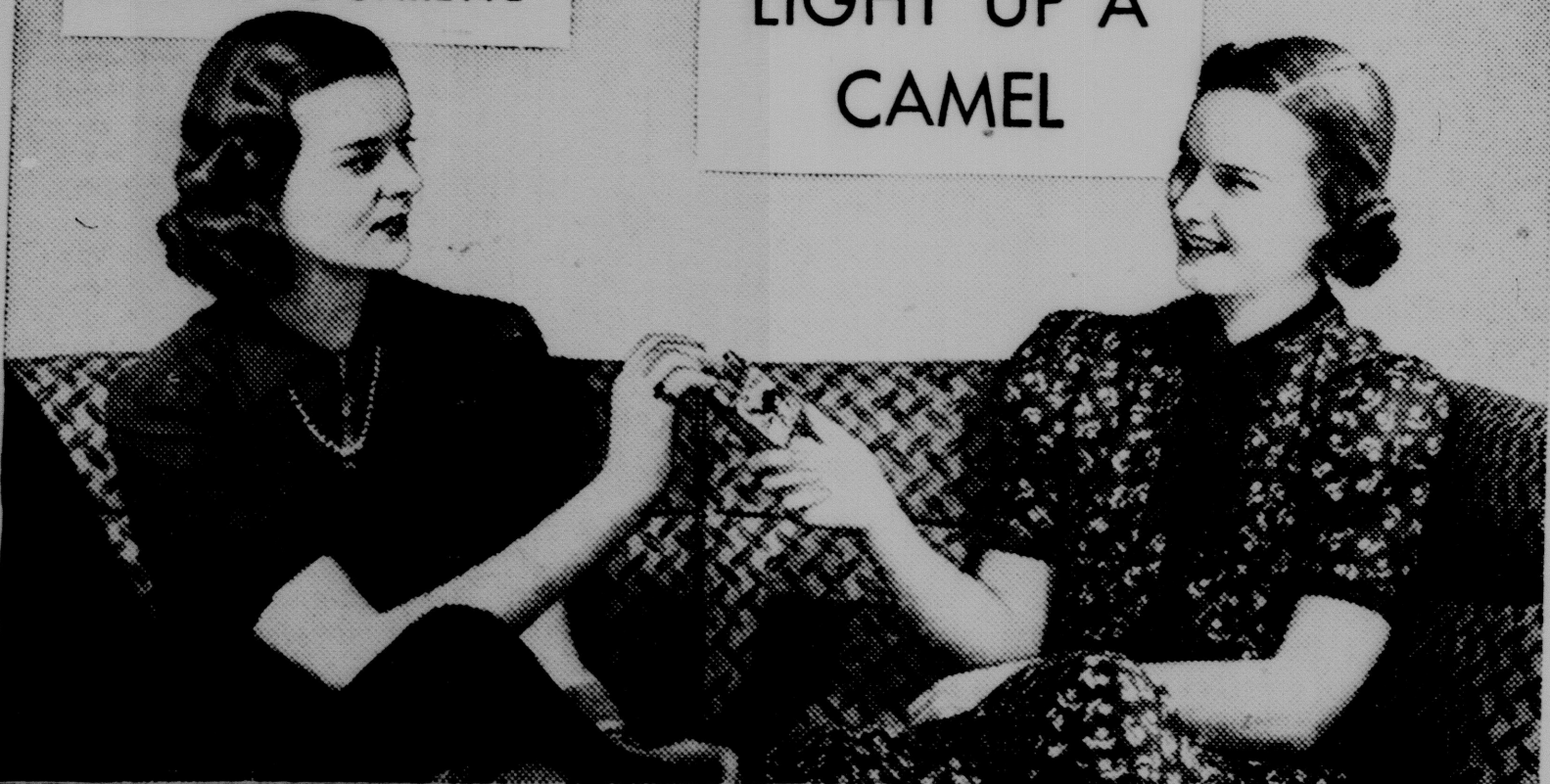


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Cattle and Grain Market

Chicago Live Stock
CHICAGO, March 6.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs: 9,000; fairly active, mostly 10 to 20 cents higher than Friday's average; top \$8.40; sparingly; bulk good and choice 170 to 230 pounds \$8.15 to \$8.35; 240 to 270 pounds \$7.85 to \$8.15; 280 to 350 pound butchers \$7.60 to \$7.85; good 400 to 550 pound packing sows \$7.60 to \$7.75; light butcher kinds up to \$7.40.

Cattle: 9,000; 1,000 calves; mostly

25 cents up; killing quality medium to good; largely \$9.00 to \$12.00 market; several loads \$11.50 to \$12.50; fed heifers sharing steer advance; best light heifers \$10.50; mostly \$8.25 to \$9.50; cows strong; bulls strong to 15 cents higher; vealers steady at \$10.50 to \$11.25; weighty sausage bulls up to \$7.50.

Sheep: 14,000; opening active on heavy and medium weight lambs; weighty offerings slow; early sales good to choice lambs 94 pounds down to \$9.00 to \$9.15; several loads to packers and shippers \$9.25; best held higher; sheep scarce; few native ewes around steady; \$4.25 to \$4.75.

St. Louis Live Stock
EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., March 6.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs: total receipts 10,100; 9,000 salable; market slow mostly 10 to 15 cents higher; most 160 pounds down steady; bulk good and choice 170 to 210 pounds \$8.10 to \$8.25; top \$8.25; few 220 to 270 pounds \$7.80 to \$8.00; 140 to 160 pounds \$7.25 to \$7.75; mostly \$7.60 down; good sows \$6.55 to \$7.25.

Cattle: total receipts 2,850; salable 2,500; calves total 1,500; salable 1,000; steers in light supply; market not established but few opening sales strong to 25 cents higher; cowstuff and bulls fully steady; butcher yearlings strong to 25 cents higher; vealers 50 cents lower; top \$11.25; fed and mixed yearlings \$8.00 to \$9.25; beef cows \$5.50 to \$6.50; top \$8.00; cutter grades \$4.25 to \$5.25; top sausage bulls \$7.00 to \$10.75; stocker and feeder steers \$6.50 to \$9.75.

Sheep: 1,500 total and salable; receipts include two doubles western lambs, one double mixed and 300 head mixed natives; no early action; asking stronger for lambs; top Friday \$9.00.

Kansas City Live Stock
KANSAS CITY, March 6.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs: 1,500; slow, steady to 10 cents higher than Friday's average; top \$7.00; good to choice 170 to 230 pounds \$7.75 to \$7.90; 240 to 270 pounds \$7.50 to \$7.75; 280 to 300 pounds \$7.20 to \$7.35; sows \$6.50 to \$6.75; few \$6.55.

Cattle: 5,500; calves 1,000; beef steers and yearlings opening slow but strong; stock scarce, strong to 25 cents higher; vealers and calves steady; stocker and feeder classes fairly active; strong to 25 cents higher; few early sales medium to good fed steers \$8.45 to \$10.50; some held higher; short load heifers \$10.00; three loads good Colorado \$9.75; odd lots butcher cows \$6.00 to \$7.00; low cutters and cutters \$4.50 to \$5.75; vealer top \$11.00; medium to choice stockers and feeders \$8.00 to \$9.75; fed loads \$10.00; bulls strong to 15 cents higher; strongweight sausage kinds around \$7.00; two loads good stock cows \$6.50.

Sheep: 5,500; slow, very little done; scattered opening sales fed lambs around \$8.25; about steady; best held above \$8.65.

Slight Decline To Grain Market
CHICAGO, March 6.—(AP)—Wheat prices sagged about 1/4 cent today following corresponding declines in foreign markets.

Snow European demand for wheat and hesitancy of speculative interests to reenter the market kept trading at a slow pace.

Wheat closed 1/4 to 1/2 cent lower than Saturday, May 65 1/2 to 68 1/2 c. July 65 1/2 c. while corn was unchanged to 1/4 cent off, May 19 1/2 to 19 1/4 c. July 30 1/2 c. Oats lost 1/4 to 1/2 c. cent.

Chicago Grain Table
CHICAGO, March 6.—(AP)—

	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—			
Mar	69	68 1/2	68 3/4
May	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 3/4
July	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 3/4
Sept	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 3/4
CORN—			
Mar	49 1/2	49 1/4	49 1/2
May	49 1/2	49 1/4	49 1/2
July	50 1/2	50 1/4	50 1/2
Sept	51 1/2	51 1/4	51 1/2
OATS—			
Mar	29 1/2	28 3/4	28 3/4
May	29 1/2	28 3/4	28 3/4
July	29 1/2	28 3/4	28 3/4
Sept	29 1/2	28 3/4	28 3/4
SOY BEANS—			
Mar	53	52 1/2	52 1/2
May	53	52 1/2	52 1/2
July	53	52 1/2	52 1/2
Oct	53	52 1/2	52 1/2
RYE—			
Mar	45 1/2	45 1/4	45 1/2
May	45 1/2	45 1/4	45 1/2
July	45 1/2	45 1/4	45 1/2
Sept	45 1/2	45 1/4	45 1/2

Kansas City Cash Grain
KANSAS CITY, March 6.—(AP)—Wheat: 128 cars; unchanged to 1 cent lower; No. 2 dark hard 73 1/2 to 74 1/2 c; No. 3, 69 1/2 to 71 1/2 c; No. 2 hard 67 1/2 to 70 1/2 c; No. 3, 66 1/2 to 71 1/2 c; No. 2 red, nominal 67 1/2 to 69 1/2 c; No. 3, nominal 66 to 68 c.

Close: May 64 1/2 c; July 64 1/2 c; Sept. 64 1/2 c.

Corn: 28 cars; unchanged to 1/4 cent lower; No. 2 white, nominal 46 1/2 to 47 1/2 c; No. 3, nominal 45 1/2 to 46 1/2 c; No. 2 mixed, nominal 46 1/2 to 47 1/2 c; No. 3, nominal 45 1/2 to 46 1/2 c; No. 2 mixed nominal 46 1/2 to 47 c; No. 3, nominal 45 1/2 to 46 1/2 c.

Close: May 45 1/2 c; July 47 1/2 c; Sept. 46 c.

Oats: 5 cars; unchanged to 1/4 cent lower; No. 2 white, nominal 29 1/2 to 30 1/2 c; No. 3, nominal 28 1/2 to 29 1/2 c.

St. Louis Grain Market
ST. LOUIS, March 6.—(AP)—Cash grain:

Wheat: 30 cars; 1/2 cent lower; No. 2 red 74 1/2 c; No. 3, 72 1/2 to 73 c.

Corn: 70 cars; unchanged; No. 2 yellow 49 1/2 to 49 3/4 c; No. 3, 48 1/2 c.

Oats: 6 cars; unchanged, no quotations.

Chicago Produce
CHICAGO, March 6.—(AP)—Butter: 925,643; steady; creamery specials (93 score) 25 1/2 c to 26 c; extra (92 score) 25 1/2 c; extra firsts (90-91 score) 25 1/2 c; firsts (88-89 score) 24 1/2 to 25 c; seconds (84-87 1/2 score) 23 1/2 c; standards

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Lodges
Sedalia Assembly No. 23, S. O. O. B. will meet in regular session Tuesday, March 7th at 2:00 o'clock. Degrees. Official visit of the Supreme Worthy President, Mrs. Otto W. Vossmeier. Dinner at 6:30 for members and Sir Knights. Program following the dinner.

MRS. J. M. HOLLAND, W. P. MRS. ARTHUR GRIFFEY, Rec.

Attention Knights Templar
St. Omer Commandery No. 11, Knights Templar will meet in stated convocation Tuesday evening, March 7, at 7:30 o'clock. Full form opening. Visiting Knights invited to attend.

J. R. SMETANA, E. C. J. P. HURTT, Recorder.

Sedalia Lodge No. 236 A. F. and A. M.
will meet in special communication Monday, March 6th, at 7:30 p. m. for work in the Entered Apprentice degree. All Entered Apprentices invited.

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(90 score centralized carlots) 25 1/2 c to 27 1/2 c.

Eggs 15,065; firmer; fresh graded extra firsts cars and local 17c; firsts local 16 1/2 c; cars 16 1/2 c; current receipts 15 1/2 c; storage packed extras 17 1/2 c; firsts 17 1/2 c.

Chicago Poultry
CHICAGO, March 6.—(AP)—Poultry alive, 15 trucks, heavy hens firmer, chickens easier; hens over 5 pounds 17 1/2 c; 5 pounds and under 20c; Leghorn hens 16 1/2 c; broilers 2 1/2 pounds and under colored 18c; Plymouth Rock 19c; White Rock 18c; springs 3 1/2 pounds up, colored 19c; Plymouth Rock 22c; White Rock 22c; fryers over 2 1/2 pounds colored 18c; Plymouth Rock 20c; bareback chickens 17c; roosters 13c; Leghorn roosters 12c; ducks 4 1/2 pounds up, colored 17c; white 17 1/2 c; small colored 16 1/2 c; white 16 1/2 c; geese 13c; turkeys young toms 20c; old 16c; hens 21c.

St. Louis Produce
ST. LOUIS, March 6.—(AP)—Eggs: Missouri standards 16 1/2 c; Missouri No. 1, 14 1/2 c.

Poultry: Hens, heavy (5 pounds and over) 16c; light (3 1/2 to 5 pounds) 15c; Leghorns (2 pounds and over) 12 1/2 c; small Leghorns 11c; springs (3 pounds over) Arkansas Rock breeds 21c; local Rocks 18c; colored 17c; No. 2, 11c to 12c; fryers (2 1/2 to 3 pounds) Arkansas Rock breeds 21c; local Rocks 18c; colored 17c; No. 2, 11c to 12c; broilers (2 pounds under) Rock breeds colored and Leghorn 18c; roosters, staggy young 15c; old and Leghorn 10 1/2 c; turkeys young hens 20c; young toms 19c; young toms (13 pounds up) 17c; old hens 20c; old toms 17c; ducks, springs 15c; small and dark 10c; geese 10 1/2 c.

Butter: Whole milk extras 25 1/2 c; standards 21c; firsts 21c to 24c; seconds 23 1/2 c.

Butterfat: 18c to 20c.

Cheese: Northern Twins 14 1/2 c.

Kansas City Produce
KANSAS CITY, March 6.—(AP)—Produce: Eggs 15 1/2 c; creamery butter 25 1/2 c; butterfat 18c to 21c.

Poultry: Hens 12c to 15c; roosters 8c to 14c; springs 12c to 18 1/2 c; broilers 14 1/2 c to 16 1/2 c.

Poultry and Egg Market
(Furnished by Swift and Co.)
The following prices delivered Sedalia for good quality poultry—free of feed. No. 2 poultry paid for at market value.

Heavy hens	12c
Leghorn hens	10c
Heavy stags	10c
Light stags	8c
Heavy cox	7c
Leghorn cox	5c
Eggs, henneries	15c
Eggs, No. 1	13c
Eggs, No. 2	11c
No. 1 butterfat	23c
No. 2 butterfat	21c

Former Attorney General Dies
LUDLOW V., March 6.—(AP)—Funeral services will be held here Wednesday for John Garibaldi Sargent, 78, attorney general in the cabinet of President Calvin Coolidge. Sargent died at his home here yesterday.

The former cabinet officer, whose boyhood home at Plymouth Notch was about two miles from the Coolidge farm, died of heart disease early Sunday morning. With him at the time were his daughter, Mrs. Gladys Gordon Pearsons, and two granddaughters. Burial will be in the Ludlow cemetery.

After serving as Attorney General of the United States from 1925 to 1929, Sargent returned to his law practice here and remained active in a consulting capacity until his death.

Bothwell Hospital Notes
Mrs. Nannie Maness, of 312 South Washington avenue, was admitted for medical treatment.

E. W. Couey, state representative, who has been ill with flu was able to be taken to his home Saturday.

Clay Products Head Dies
ST. LOUIS, March 6.—(AP)—John Leigh Green, 63-year-old president of a clay products company, was found dead of heart disease in his bed at his home here yesterday.

Birth of a Son
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gregory, of Knob Noster, are parents of a son, born at the Bothwell hospital Saturday, March 4.

Young Musicians Hold Recital

The Young Musicians Music club had its monthly recital at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the home of the teacher, Mrs. Jewell Harter Thomas. Several were unable to attend on account of sickness.

Eight children received stars for practicing the required time. Mrs. Thomas talked about the radio broadcast of Paderewski and showed his picture. Several numbers were played by pupils from the Mozart Club.

The following program was enjoyed:

The club song played by Mary Jo Hale.

To The Colors, Thompson—Billy Cohen and Mrs. Thomas.

Dreamland, Lively—Dorothy Ann Reed.

Jess Loves Me, Butler—Robert Stroup.

Darting In and Out, Armour—David Richardson.

Little Boys Waltz, Thomas: March of the Wee Folk, Gaynor—Aaron Hale.

Where the Locust Blooms, Cadman—Gene Wells.

Duet, Trippings Over the Green, Martin—Mary Sue and Billy Monsees.

The Dirigible, Thompson—Billy Cohen.

Wooden Shoes, Aarow—Glen Cox.

March of The Pirates, Terry—Billy Monsees.

Duet, Rosy Fingers, Wachs—Mary Jo Hale and Gene Wells.

Moonbeams on the Lake, Fritzpatrick—Mary Sue Monsees.

Hovering Butterflies, Gaynor—Violet Richardson.

Gypsies, Rogers—Mary Ann Hildebrandt.

Two-piano, Vale of Song, Rolfe—Mary Jo Hale and Gene Wells.

The following members were unable to attend.

Claud Boul, Dorothy Ann Garrett, Ruth Ann Kuiper, David Miller, Barbara Meier, David Starkey, Wanda Brandhorst, Ben F. Boland and Jean Callis.

Mrs. Louise Lewis, Negro Woman, Passes Away
Mrs. Louise Lewis, negro woman, passed away at 109 East Jefferson street on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. She is survived by a sister: Mrs. Carrie Warren, and two daughters, Mattie Lewis with whom she made her home, and Jessie Lewis, also by two grand-children.

The body was taken to the Ferguson Funeral Home to await funeral arrangements.

Rooney Claims He Owes Stardom to Luck of The Irish

"I guess I just have the luck of the Irish."

Such is Mickey Rooney's comment on his first solo starring vehicle, Mark Twain's "The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn," in which he will be seen starting tomorrow for three days at the Liberty Theatre.

"I'm lucky to be alive and young while so many things are happening all over the world," added the young star. "And I'm lucky to have worked with great actors who have taught me a lot, particularly Spencer Tracy, Lionel Barrymore and Lewis Stone."

Rooney scored one of his greatest successes with Tracy and Barrymore in "Captains Courageous," and more recently has won laurels as Andy Hardy in the Hardy pictures with Lewis Stone.

"If I hadn't been given the opportunity to act 'Huckleberry Finn' I would never have appreciated Mark Twain to the fullest," asserted Mickey. "I knew he was a great American humorist for I'd read his 'Jumping Frog' and some of his shorter works."

"But the first thing Richard Thorpe, our director, did when we started the picture was to hand me the book. He told me to read it through from cover to cover before studying the script. I thought it was an odd request at first."

"But as I got into it I realized that Thorpe was having Mark Twain do a good part of my work for me. He is so graphic that I knew all about Huck, all about every character, all about the whole country involved in the story. That is, I had the feel of it. Acting a boy I didn't know became no problem. One can't help reading Twain and not be-

F. B. Jenkins of Kansas City Dies

KANSAS CITY, March 6.—(AP)—F. B. Jenkins, 68, president of the Jenkins Music Co., died Sunday after several weeks' illness.

Jenkins became president in 1932, succeeding his brother, J. W. Jenkins, who was killed in an automobile accident. The company was founded at Leavenworth, Kans., in 1878 by the father, John Woodward Jenkins, and moved to Kansas City soon afterwards.

For years Jenkins had served as president of the board of trustees of the School of the Ozarks, a Southern Presbyterian church high school for underprivileged children near Hollister, Mo., and president of the Lakeview country club, an exclusive resort near Lawrence, Kans.

Funeral services will be Tuesday afternoon at the Second Presbyterian church.

Two Pedestrians Killed By Auto
ST. LOUIS, March 6.—(AP)—Two pedestrians were killed by automobiles here yesterday under similar circumstances, the scenes only two blocks apart, and a third victim died of earlier injuries.

The victims were Mrs. William Zdoracek, 62, and G. C. Pierce, 64. Mrs. Zdoracek's husband and Pierce's wife were seriously injured by the same cars. The third victim, Chester Alexander, 53, died of injuries suffered Thursday.

Big Dance Floor Show ARMORY HALL

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"Jezebel" Comes to Uptown Theatre Today



Henry Fonda and Bette Davis
"JEZEBEL" sensational motion picture of the Old South, starring Bette Davis and Henry Fonda, opens today at the Uptown Theatre. This is the picture in which Bette Davis won the Motion Picture Academy Award for outstanding performance in 1938. Her portrayal of a headstrong southern belle of pre-war days is without parallel in dramatic performance. "Jezebel" is a stirring drama of the complications arising from the strict code by which the Ladies and Gentlemen of the Old South lived. The New Orleans of 1852-53 reproduced in "Jezebel" is convincing and interesting.

coming very intimate with his characters. The homely, honest Mississippi River folks became lovable to me."

Mickey plays the barefoot, pipe-smoking Southern boy, poor at school but rich in the lore of the river. Much of the picture was made on location on the Sacramento River which served as the Mississippi. Here the mad race of the river steamer to save Jim, the runaway slave, from a lynch mob and other dramatic episodes were filmed.

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New Defense Council In Spain Sue For Peace

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Nationalists had been paved by the formal resignation of the ousted Negrin government.

Martinez Barrio, as president of the Cortes (parliament), was first in line to succeed president Manuel Azana, who resigned Feb. 28. A Madrid communique said last Wednesday that Martinez Barrio, who is in Paris, had assumed the post but he declared he would not accept it.

MADRID, March 6.—A "big six" defense council dedicated to an "honorable peace or a fight to the death" replaced today after a bloodless coup the regime of Premier Juan Negrin, who had held out for "resistance to the end" in the Spanish civil war.

(A dispatch from Hendaye, on the French-Spanish border, said the probable effect of the new administration on continuation of the conflict was not apparent immediately, but frontier observers believed the new council favored surrender to the nationalist despite a proclamation of further resistance.)

General Segismundo Casado, the military governor of Madrid, seized power in a swift move. He broadcast that: "The die is cast. We shall all save ourselves or sink together. Our struggle will not end until independence is assured."

Madrid was calm but somewhat bewildered by the rapidity of developments. A manifesto indicated Negrin had been prevented from leaving Spain, but it was not known where he and his ministers were.

Taking Over Cartagena

The revolt against Negrin began Saturday at Cartagena, the republican naval base, when a group of officers and soldiers attempted to capture the city. The uprising, an announcement by the Negrin government said, was "promptly and completely quelled," with the fleet remaining loyal.

(Advices from Burgos, nationalist capital, said, however, that nationalist sympathizers gradually were taking over Cartagena.)

(Five plane loads of officers fleeing Cartagena landed in French Algeria, where French authorities arrested and disarmed them. The Spanish officers said only that revolt had broken out against republican authorities and that the fleet had put out to sea for an unknown destination.)

Some people believed the sudden turn of events would mean peace negotiations or an early resumption of Franco's offensive. The nationalist troops were reported concentrated near Valencia and Madrid.

(A Burgos dispatch said Negrin failed to acknowledge Franco's ultimatum for surrender which expired yesterday.)

Franco's Forces To South
BURGOS, March 6.—Generalissimo Franco's troops continued to move south today from Barcelona, bolstering a force of 500,000 men already on the central front in apparent preparation for attacks on Valencia and Madrid.

Authoritative nationalist sources viewed the formation at Madrid of General Segismundo Casado's defense council as placing the control of republican defenses definitely in the hands of men who "know the strength of their resistance and how long they might resist."

The news from Madrid failed to deter Franco's preparations for a final offensive. The Generalissimo's headquarters disclosed nothing which might indicate his plans, but there was a general belief that if an offensive were ordered it would be the most powerful of the war.

Possible Surrender

HENDAYE, France.—(At the Spanish Frontier)—March 6.—Border observers believed today that General Segismundo Casado, new leader of republican Spain, favored surrender to the nationalist despite his proclamation that "our struggle will not end until independence is assured."

They pointed out Casado, a career officer in the army, was closely associated with the deposed dictator of the central republican zone, General Jose Miaja, who was known to have advised Juan Negrin to make peace.

Sources here said it was unlikely General Casado who has been seriously ill with stomach ulcers for some time, would have been selected to head a regime determined to resist to the bitter end.

Birth of a Son

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Martin, 1306 South Harrison avenue, are parents of a 9½ pound son, born at their home Sunday, March 5.

Get Comforting Relief from RUNNY HEAD COLDS

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NEXT, melt a spoonful of VapoRub in a bowl of boiling water; breathe in the medicated vapors for several minutes. This loosens phlegm and further clears the air-passages.

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VICKS VAPORUB

He has been named William Bennett Martin, Jr.

Mrs. Martin was formerly Miss Frances Huffman.

Lone Redskin Goes On A Strange Warpath

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rubber nose for his part. He was in serious mood.

"Geronimo was pretty cruel, of course, but he wasn't a double-dyed villain," he said. "Yet the opening montage of this picture, as now written, shows him tomahawking a pioneer woman and her child."

"I've pointed out that Geronimo began committing his depredations only after womenfolk of his own family had been massacred by renegade whites. It would be only fair, I think, to give some of this background to show why he fought so long and so hard against such great odds."

"Comparisons, perhaps, are unfortunate, but didn't a movie make a hero of Jesse James?"

Thunder Cloud, a 220-pound six-footer whose non-professional name is Victor Daniels, was reared in the vicinity of Tucson, Ariz., where thousands of federal cavalrymen used to chase Geronimo and a few score Chiricahua Apache braves.

He claims to be of Cherokee descent, but admits he is no chief, for he assumed the title merely because it seems to be expected of Indian entertainers. He says he was born under a tree during an electrical storm at Muskogee, Okla., 40 years ago, and that was how his mother named him Thunder Cloud.

Real Estate Transfers

M. Florence Edwards to John W. Barnett, WD property at southwest corner of Ninth street and New York avenue—\$100 and other consideration.

Fred F. Wesner and wife to Helen F. Watkins, QCD property on north side of Third street between Grand and Prospect avenue—\$100 and other consideration.

Charles Seline Holland and wife to Homer Beatty, WD undivided 1-6 interest in tract of land in La Monte Township—\$800.00.

G. T. Callender and wife to William L. Marlin and Florence L. Marlin, WD 62 acres of land, more or less, in Bowling Green Township—\$100 and other consideration.

W. A. McKeehan to Nola C. McKeehan, WD 120 acres of land, more or less, in La Monte Township—\$100 and other consideration.

Anna Rhoads to Mary Rose Brim, Nora Ann Brim and Walter E. Brim, WD tract of land in Elk Fork Township—\$100 and other consideration.

Donnohue Loan and Investment Company to Nell Burrell, WD property at southwest corner of Cooper street and Lamine avenue—\$100.

Lyman C. Keuper and wife to Charles W. Brown and Nora B. Brown, WD property on east side of Barrett avenue between Twelfth and Fourteenth streets—\$100 and other consideration.

J. B. Greer, county collector, to Emma Schrader, Coll's D. 6 lots at southwest corner Twenty-sixth street and Washington avenue—\$300.

Sam D. Stahl to James L. Sutherland and Minnie L. Sutherland, WD property on north side Thirtieth street between Engineer and Wagner streets—\$100 and other consideration.

W. L. Marlin, Sheriff to G. W. Anson, Sheriff's D. property on east side of Ingram avenue between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-sixth streets and property at northeast corner Twenty-fifth street and Washington avenue—\$100.

Mayme G. Lynch and husband and Laura G. Kokendoff and husband to J. Higdon Potter and Willie B. Potter, WD 200 acres of land, more or less, in Cedar Township—\$100 and other consideration.

W. L. Marlin, sheriff and trustee, to Pettis County Court, Tr's D. 279 acres of land, more or less, in Heaths Creek Township—\$13,715.12.

Hitler Gives A Dancer Candy

BERLIN, March 6.—(P)—Miriam Verne, lithe Pittsburgh acrobatic dancer who performed before Adolf Hitler and his artist guests Saturday night, declared today "you like him immediately."

She was proud of having chatted with the Führer for nearly an hour after her solo dance and said "I needed no interpreter because I am learning German."

She admired the new chancellery, which Hitler personally showed his guests.

Hitler gave her flowers and candy for her performance, at an artists' reception in the chancellery. Miss Verne said she also received "some German money" from the Führer, but did not disclose the amount.

Miss Verne, who has been dancing at Berlin's Metropol theater since last September, said she planned to remain in Germany until May and then tour Europe.

She is the second American dancer to appear before Hitler recently. He saw Marion Daniels of Chicago in an especially arranged performance of "The Merry Widow" Feb. 22.

Brief Session For Congress Is Indicated

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void of provisions for abolishing the choice of Comptroller General and revamping the civil service commission.

Debt Limit Problem
The principal fight on government expenditures may come over an administration proposal to increase the national debt limit by \$5,000,000,000, a proposal regarded by some senate Democrats as the most politically-dangerous measure of the session.

Several economy-minded senators who usually follow the advice of Vice-President Garner said they were surveying the situation to determine whether action could be delayed until after the 1940 election.

The national debt will total about \$41,100,000,000 when this fiscal year ends June 30. By present estimates it will stand at \$44,500,000,000 on June 30, 1940.

Republican strategy this winter has been centered on making economy a major political issue. Republican leaders said today that government spending policies undoubtedly would be emphasized during next year's national campaign.

The National Economy League declared in a statement yesterday that "before lasting recovery and increased employment can be a reality in the United States, all doubts about the national credit must be removed."

A proposal by Senator Thomas (D-Okla.) for an addition of about 20 per cent in the dollar's gold content is expected to draw opposition from the economy-minded congressmen. Thomas also suggested issuing \$3,000,000,000 in new currency.

Matches For Sedalia Boxers

WICHITA, Kas., March 6.—Sedalia's Golden Glovers were fortunate in the Missouri Valley A. A. U. tournament in drawing matches for only one fight for tonight while Denver "Buck" Miller drew a bye until Tuesday night's card.

Miller Tuesday will meet Stanley Casteneda of the St. Anthony Boxing Club of Kansas City, Mo. who tipped the scale at 113 and Miller 111.

Dean Murray, 119 Fights Virgil Vaddle, 119 army, Ft. Leavenworth, Kas.

Wilbur "Billy" Smith, 124 1-2 meets Tom Vaughn, 127, of Columbia. Smith in 1938 defeated Vaughn at Sedalia in a trial bout, and the two boys discussed "memories." Smith's draw number was "13" which he declared was lucky.

Henry Harker, colored, 126, is matched against Eli Castra, 127, of the Municipal Boxing Club, Kansas City.

Raymond "Bud" Martin, 147, will fight Rudy Ramirez, 145, of Garden City, Kas.

Miller should he win Tuesday night will meet the winner of Mike Hogan-Wallace Mayonett. Hogan has fought Miller four times and each boy has won two fights. Mayonett represents Haskell.

The fights will be broadcast over station KFHL, 1300 at 10:45.

For Inquiry On Planes Prices

WASHINGTON, March 6.—(P)—Senator Norris (Ind-Neb) suggested today the senate should investigate "fabulous prices" for airplanes today in connection with the national defense program.

Taking part in senate debate on the \$338,000,000 army and air corps expansion bill, the Nebraska proposed that the senate munitions committee be re-established to look into "the artificial increase in airplane costs to this government." That committee conducted an extensive investigation of arms sales.

"This would save millions of dollars on this program," Norris said during an exchange with Senator Clark (D-Mo.).

In protesting against the increase from 5,500 new airplanes approved by the house to the 6,000 planes favored by the senate military affairs committee, Clark said this change "provides for expenditures of an unlimited sum of money."

The Missouriian said a \$170,000,000 estimate by the war department was a mere guess at best.

"I am ready to vote any money necessary for adequate national defense," Clark said. "I'm against voting one extra cent for this armament propaganda."

Norris interpreted Clark to say he was convinced that the "increased cost of these airplanes for the government has been artificial to a large extent."

The Nebraska said it might be wise for the government to "manufacture at least a part of these airplanes" as it now can do with boats for the navy.

GASSY STOMACH?

Des Moines, Iowa.—Mrs. Ann Parker, 121 Capital Ave., says "I suffered from gas on my stomach and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery soon helped me. It gives one a splendid appetite and seems to help strengthen one so well." Ask your druggist today for Golden Medical Discovery in liquid or tablet form. See how much more vigorous you feel after using this tonic.

This Week In Missouri History

Compiled by the State Historical Society of Missouri at Columbia
Floyd C. Shoemaker, Secretary

The State Historical Society of Missouri, now the largest state historical society in number of active members in the United States, was organized seventy-eight years after Missouri rose to statehood. Realizing the need for a central depository for the historical data pertaining to the State, the Missouri Press Association at its meeting in May, 1898, created the Society. Almost a year later, on March 9, 1899, forty years ago this week, this new organization was incorporated at Columbia. The following May it was made a trustee for the State and its rights and duties prescribed as the official historical society of Missouri; in 1901 the first state appropriation for the new organization was made by the Forty-first General Assembly.

During this first biennial period, F. A. Sampson succeeded Isidor Loeb, who had been selected as the first secretary of the society. Mr. Sampson, an outstanding collector of history in the state, served until 1915, when he was succeeded by Floyd C. Shoemaker, present secretary of the Society. Senator Allen Reynolds, of Carthage, Missouri, is now president of the Society.

During the forty years of its existence, the State Historical Society of Missouri has accumulated the largest and most valuable collection on Missouri history in the world. This collection includes 226,481 books, pamphlets, bound newspapers, and official publications; about 15,000 important manuscripts; and 115,180 Missouri State archives. The Society's Mark Twain collection is the second most complete in existence, and the group of official publications is the most complete in the State. The manuscript collection contains letters written or received by such outstanding men as Major James S. Rollins, Judge Abiel Leonard, George C. Bingham, and Meredith Marmaduke. The Society now receives 434 current Missouri newspapers and magazines and 49 college periodicals, and its newspaper department contains 18,668 bound volumes. Many old valuable newspapers are graciously donated by their editors to the Society for safekeeping. Photostat copies are made of old newspapers published in our historic towns, as well as of valuable manuscripts and local records. A new process of preservation known as microfilm was adopted by the Society in October, 1937. Through this process photographic copies of newspapers and of book pages are reproduced on safety film, projected as an enlarged image by a Recordak library projector. Already more than 34,000 pages of newspapers have been filmed, in addition to town council minutes, church minutes, early Missouri census returns, valuable diaries, and business record books.

Not content with providing ample research materials for those interested in Missourians, the Society offers a number of publications to better acquaint Missourians with their history. The Journal of the Missouri Constitutional Convention of 1875 has been published in two bound volumes. The Society has also published twelve volumes of the Messages and Proclamations of the Governors of the State of Missouri, and five volumes of the Debates of the Constitutional Convention of 1875.

Believing in the cultural, educational and practical values to Missouri and Missourians derived as result of exploiting accurate historical data, the Society issues an official quarterly publication, The Missouri Historical Review. Issued since 1906, this magazine has the largest circulation in America for this type of publication.

The "This Week in Missouri History" column, issued regularly since February 1925, appears weekly in 97 counties and the city of St. Louis.

The State Historical Society, in addition to its publications and collections of research materials, cooperates gladly with the public at large and with the eleven county historical organizations now perfected. It stands ready at all times to answer questions, advise, encourage, or counsel those interested in Missouri history.

Even though the Society sponsors these many and varied services, very little of the taxpayers money is used. In fact, the appropriation granted Missouri's society is a good deal less than half that granted to similar societies in comparable states, whose budgets average around \$120,000. The State Historical Society of Missouri, however, has made its small appropriation go far, and has climbed through hard work and ambition to the top place in membership among societies in the United States.

Birth of a Son
Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Griffith, 1722 South Ingram avenue, are parents of a son, born Thursday, March 2, at their home. The baby has been named Billy Joe.

Slayer of Girl Ended His Life

W. P. Purkisher Shoots Self In Rooming House

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 6.—A rambling 500-word suicide note—partly typed and partly scrawled on scraps of paper—told today the "terrible nightmare" of the killing of 13-year-old Haselteen Black, Oklahoma City junior high school girl.

Coroner B. W. Tadlock said William J. Purkisher, portly 33-year-old insurance man, signed the letter yesterday, then put a revolver bullet through his brain.

Haselteen's mother, Mrs. R. W. Scharber, found her beaten and strangled body in her Oklahoma City home when she returned from work Thursday with her husband, Haselteen's stepfather.

Purkisher's partly-clad body was found by the proprietor of a rooming house there. Purkisher had registered Saturday night. He had been sought since Saturday when it was learned he had rented a motor car in Oklahoma City early in the week and had not been seen since Thursday. The car was found Friday in Topeka, Kas.

The letter referred to financial disagreements Purkisher had had with Mrs. Scharber, whom it was said he had known since 1932.

"I went out Thursday because I did not think anybody would be home," it read, "so I would be there when the Scharbers came home, and I was going to have a talk with them and try and get things straight."

"When I found her (Haselteen) there and that she had been turned against me too, I lost all reasoning, and nothing but a terrible nightmare followed."

Home By Chance

Haselteen was home only by chance, having returned early from school, where she became ill.

The letter addressed in the form of an open letter read: "You have classed me as a brutal killer. If what you saw in the papers is what actually happened, perhaps I am. Yet there are extenuating circumstances that could be taken into consideration."

Officers found two notes, one addressed to Purkisher's wife, Mrs. Sue Purkisher. It was the other one which was made public.

That letter, obviously written under crushing strain, seemed at times to direct itself toward Mrs. Purkisher, sometimes to police and sometimes to the newspapers.

"Haselteen was an innocent victim of circumstances," it said, "just as she has been most of her life. In another sense, my family are innocent victims, and they should not be censured for the things I have done."

"x x x for their sake give this letter the same publicity you have given my brutality x x when the sheriff comes, as soon he must, I will be ready with a bullet through my brain."

The letter was signed "W. P. Purkisher."

Detective Chief Charles Ryan, Oklahoma City, who arrived last night from Topeka, where he had inspected the car, said there was no doubt the dead man was Purkisher.

Ryan said Purkisher once had been associated with the Scharbers and recently had tried to borrow money from them.

Haselteen was dressed in pink pajamas and a blue housecoat when her mother stumbled across her body; cried "my baby."

Dr. John Roddy, city physician, said she had been killed by 22 blows on the head and that a cord knotted about her neck had not contributed to her death. He said the girl had not been raped.

Purkisher's letter did not relate any details of the killing. The closest it came was the reference to "a terrible nightmare."

Insists Child Will Be A Boy

NEW YORK, March 6.—(P)—Some people may think that Sidney A. Fortel is rushing things a bit, but Fortel is a man of confidence and so today he issued a formal announcement that on the 17th or 18th of June "a son will be born to Mrs. Sidney A. Fortel."

Now many a prospective father has predicted the birth of a son—more in hope than in confidence—but Fortel, who lives at 486 17th st., Newark, N. J., says he has studied the predetermination of sex for 20 years and has "absolutely found the secret."

Spanish Ships Sighted By Plane

ALGIERS, Algeria, March 6.—A Spanish republican fleet of 11 warships was sighted by an airplane today steaming eastward at full speed off the coast of Algeria.

It was believed the fleet might be heading for the Tunisian port of Bizerte, only North African harbor where foreign warships can be admitted to be disarmed.

Tunisia's status as a semi-independent protectorate of France makes the port of Bizerte free for entry for the disarming of foreign warships.

Dr. Harvey E. Blackston, 77, died at 4:30 o'clock this morning at his home at Excelsior, four miles from Versailles. While he had been in failing health he was in his office for a short time Sunday, and his death was unexpected.

Dr. Blackston was born in Ohio October 27, 1861. He graduated from medical school at Ann Arbor, Mich., in 1884, and shortly thereafter located in Morgan county, where he continued to make his home.

April 23, 1896 he was married

Obituaries

Isic Brownfield

Isic Brownfield, 45, died suddenly at his home in Green Ridge early Sunday morning. He had suffered from asthma for some months, and death was due to a heart attack, believed to have been brought on by the asthma.

Mr. Brownfield was born on a farm near Beaman, son of Ruben and Ida Brownfield. In 1908 the family moved to a farm north of Green Ridge, and in 1912 into Green Ridge where the father and son operated a livery barn. Later Isic worked for the Brim confectionery and recently has driven a bread truck.

Surviving are his parents, and three brothers, Ellick Brownfield, Twin Falls, Idaho, Ware and Jesse T. Brownfield, Green Ridge.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Baptist church in Green Ridge, the Rev. N. M. Dowdy officiating. Music was in charge of Mrs. E. J. Sims and the church choir sang, "God Be With You Until We Meet Again," "Nearer My God to Thee," and "When The Roll is Called Up Yonder, I'll Be There."

Friends who served as pallbearers were, Claude Baslee, M. J. Pace, Louis and William Pappinga.

Interment was in the Green Ridge cemetery.

John M. Hilden

John M. Hilden, 61, died of pneumonia at his home, 205 East Jackson at 1:15 o'clock Sunday morning.

Mr. Hilden was born in Billingsville, Mo., February 26, 1878, son of John and Christine Hilden. March 17, 1898 he was married to Hattie M. Hill, and to this union four children were born.

His widow and two sons, John L. Hilden, of Fulton, and Joe Hilden, of the home, survive. Two children preceded him in death. He also leaves three sisters, Mrs. Nora Williams, of the State of California, Mrs. Lizzie Gearling and Mrs. Lena Richerson, Pilot Grove.

Mr. Hilden was for a number of years employed at the car shops of the Missouri Pacific. He was a member of the East Sedalia Baptist church.

Funeral services will be at the Ewing Funeral Home, Seventh street and Osage avenue, at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. W. P. Arnold to officiate.

Interment will be in Memorial Park cemetery.

Pallbearers will be men who worked with Mr. Hilden at the shops.

The body will be taken from the funeral home to the Hilden home on East Jackson at 6 o'clock this evening.

C. L. Chewning

C. L. Chewning, a former resident of the Hughesville neighborhood, died at the home of his son in Lee's Summit.

Ewing's hearse was taken to Lee's Summit this afternoon and the body will be brought back to Sedalia.

Funeral of "Al" Clark

Funeral services for James A. "Al" Clark, who was fatally injured in an accident Saturday morning, were held at the Ewing Funeral Home at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, the Rev. J. M. Summers officiating.

Mrs. O. W. Light and Mrs. E. E. Safford, accompanied by Mrs. L. C. Griswold, sang "The Church in The Wildwood," "Sometime We'll Understand," and "There Is A Home Eternal." The first number was one which the deceased had mentioned some time ago he would like to have at his funeral.

Friends who served as pallbearers were J. M. Lacey, Jack Funk, Gus Romig, Forest Poindecker, George Stumpf and V. A. Wigton.

Interment was in Crown Hill cemetery.

J. F. Bishop

J. F. Bishop, a brother of Dr. W. T. Bishop, 616 West Sixth street, died at 9 o'clock Saturday night at the Fitzgibbon hospital, Marshall.

Funeral services will be in Marshall, Mr. Bishop's home, at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Dr. and Mrs. Bishop of this city will attend.

Funeral of G. P. Garland

Funeral services for George P. Garland, retired Ottaville publisher, who died at his home there Saturday morning, will be at the home at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. A. W. Kokendoff, pastor of the First Christian church in Sedalia, to officiate.

The body was taken to the home today to remain until after the services.

Friends will serve as pallbearers and burial will be in the I. O. O. F. cemetery at Ottaville.

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to Miss Jennie Cress and they were the parents of twelve children, 8 of whom are living. They are, Erwin and Cully of the home, Thomas

Cranium Crackers

These three situations should suggest to you the names of three famous, musical compositions. What are they?

1. Just as Eugene Ormandy was directing a difficult part of the composition, somebody of the orchestra dashed from the hall.

2. As "The Madman of Macedonia" called his court musicians together, he said: "Hit it up, boys!"

3. "Where's the fighting going on," we asked him. He pointed off in the distance.

Answers on Classified Page

The Family Doctor

Babies Get a Break in New Foods Designed Specially For Them

By Dr. Morris Fishbein
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygeia, the Health Magazine

Most older people can remember when little attention was given to special diets for babies. They usually were able to get along fairly well by chewing on a piece of toast or a bone, most of the diet consisting of crudely mashed vegetables or chopped meat prepared by the mother in the home.

In most instances the baby was served the same food as the rest of the family, except that the amounts were smaller and the most obviously crude and rough materials were avoided.

As we have learned more and more about the important substance in the diet and the nature of the baby's digestive apparatus, manufacturers have developed more and more types of foods planned particularly for the baby and the growing child.

We know, for example, that highly-seasoned foods may be irritating to the delicate digestive system of the infant. Therefore, soups made for infants are seasoned only with a small amount of salt. Such seasonings as mustard, pepper, and paprika are completely avoided.

We know also that the baby's digestive apparatus is not fitted to take care of fibrous material which is the basis of what is called roughage. Therefore, soups for babies are usually passed through a sieve to bring about a fine consistency.

As the baby needs food concentrated in materials necessary for growth, soups for babies are seldom thin consommés or extracts. They are preferably thick soups with much more food value in each teaspoonful than is found in a cup of ordinary soup.

The baby does not drink soup as does the adult. Its stomach does not have the capacity of the adult stomach. A soup for an adult may consist largely of water and some extractive.

In soups prepared for babies, however, there are usually considerable amounts of liver or other meats which will provide iron and necessary vitamins. Milk does not provide enough iron, and certainly not enough vitamin B1 for the baby's needs.

In addition to various specially prepared soups now available, manufacturers have also prepared

Stories in Stamps



Why Netherlands Indies May Interest Hitler

THE German colonial question now emerges as the foremost in the European struggle. Obviously, the Nazis do not intend to take "no" for an answer. The problem, therefore, is not so much when as where.

Generally, the Hitler ambitions are said to center in the east, but there has been speculation that Der Fuehrer might strike in other quarters, notably the Netherlands Indies, an area of vast wealth and vital geographical importance.

Observers point to the fact that the Netherlands, lying next door to the Reich, might be easily enough conquered with the result that the far eastern possessions of the Dutch kingdom would fall next. In any event Netherlands Indies are a rich prize, providing the very raw materials and products the Third Reich needs so definitely.

Supporting a population of 60,000,000, Netherlands Indies, comprising Java, Madura, Sumatra, Borneo, Celebes, are luxuriant even for the tropics, thus richly productive. Besides maintaining their heavy population, the Indies export sugar, coffee, tea, cocoa, indigo, spices. Even more important to Germany would be the rubber, copra, tin and petroleum. Teakwood is another important export. From a military standpoint, the petroleum might prove the most vital to Germany of all.

For that matter, Holland itself is a rich little producer for its size. A current stamp of the Netherlands is shown above. (Copyright, 1939, NEA Service, Inc.)

Raising a Family

What does your community or your state do about bicycle regulation?

It is high time that the two-wheeler be given a definite status of some sort. So far most communities have blinked the responsibility. The annual toll of life is increasing by thousands, and children are the majority of victims.

The issue cannot be evaded much longer. I feel sure, on the grounds that the "kids should have a break," as one legislator said. No one wants to spoil their fun, but it does seem important to keep them alive. Rulings in general run some-

thing like this: "A bicycle may ride on the sidewalk unless prohibited (which it usually is) by municipal ordinance." "As a bicycle is lighter and more easily controlled, it should turn aside for heavier vehicles." "It may be licensed." "Speed of a bicycle may be regulated by law." "On a sidewalk, the cyclist takes the responsibility of risk to pedestrians." "He is guilty of negligence if he rides carelessly or without a light at night."

Regulation Induces Caution

The quotes give us an idea of where the bicycle stands in law. It is not altogether the responsibility of the motorist, but also of the cyclist, to keep out of trouble on street or road. The latter has his rights, but he has not all the rights. He must be as careful and must conform to the same rules as the driver of a car, truck or

street car. He must use discretion and care.

I think that perhaps the licensing of all bicycles is the answer. It not only protects the rider from theft, too common these days (for the thief would have to show his license to claim ownership), but it entitles the one in trouble to a fair hearing in a license has the moral effect of making the owner more cautious and responsible. Our children might learn to keep their eyes open and not take chances.

It is right and proper that a wheel be recognized as having road rights. But so do pedestrians have road rights. What man would say, "I am entitled to a place to walk in this crowded lane of moving death," when his life may be the price of his judgment? What should be, and what

is, are entirely different matters. But licensing might help a lot, such as providing funds for bicycle lanes in the open country and parks. License fees would be comparatively small, perhaps, at a guess, half a dollar or a dollar. And at last the children would be riding under rules and regulations known to them and to their parents, without the guess work that leads to misfortune.

When greater safety is assured, then cycling could again become the fine national sport it used to be. Many children are denied wheels today, because there is no safe place for them to ride; and also because parents fear theft.

In the meantime, parents should give their boys and girls certain warnings and see that they are observed. We have made a point of training our children about crossing streets on foot. Bicycle education is quite as important.

Classic Myth Hero

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Beautiful youth from the Classic Myths.
- 6 His mother was —.
- 10 To contradict
- 11 Still.
- 12 Saline solutions.
- 14 North Africa.
- 15 Bushel.
- 16 Grain.
- 17 Mama.
- 18 Kind of lettuce.
- 19 Rhode Island.
- 20 Snaky fish.
- 21 To gaze fixedly.
- 23 Those who receive college degrees.
- 28 Silkworm.
- 29 Black fly.
- 30 Row of a series.
- 31 Hound.
- 33 To soak flax.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

VIOLIN STRINGS
ISOLATED
OSTENTATIOUS
RUEFUL
CENSE
HARMLESS
ENVIRONMENT
SOIL VALENTINE
TWEED
PINE TREES
AHEAD OF THE
ARNA
STRINGS CREMONA

VERTICAL

- 1 Bower.
- 2 Vindicated.
- 3 Death notice.
- 4 Convent worker.
- 5 Set down as items.
- 6 Starlings.
- 7 Yes.
- 8 Right.
- 9 Dwelling.
- 13 Greeting.
- 15 Containing boron.
- 18 Jewel weight.
- 20 To devour.
- 22 To coat with terneplate.
- 24 Rodent.
- 25 Kind of Japanese.
- 26 Golf term.
- 27 To shoot forth.
- 29 His loved ones suffered at his early death.
- 31 Wagers.
- 32 He spent only part of the year in —.
- 34 Spring fasting season.
- 35 Morass.
- 37 Gold digger.
- 39 To wash lightly.
- 40 Wealthy.
- 41 Level.
- 42 Snare.
- 44 Race track circuit.
- 45 Cuckoo.
- 46 Native peach.
- 48 Paid publicity unit.

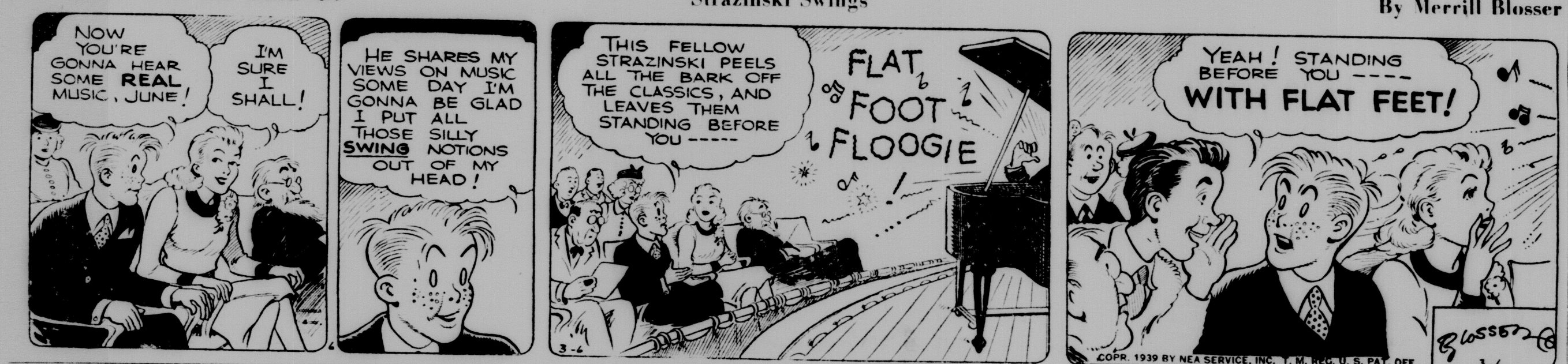
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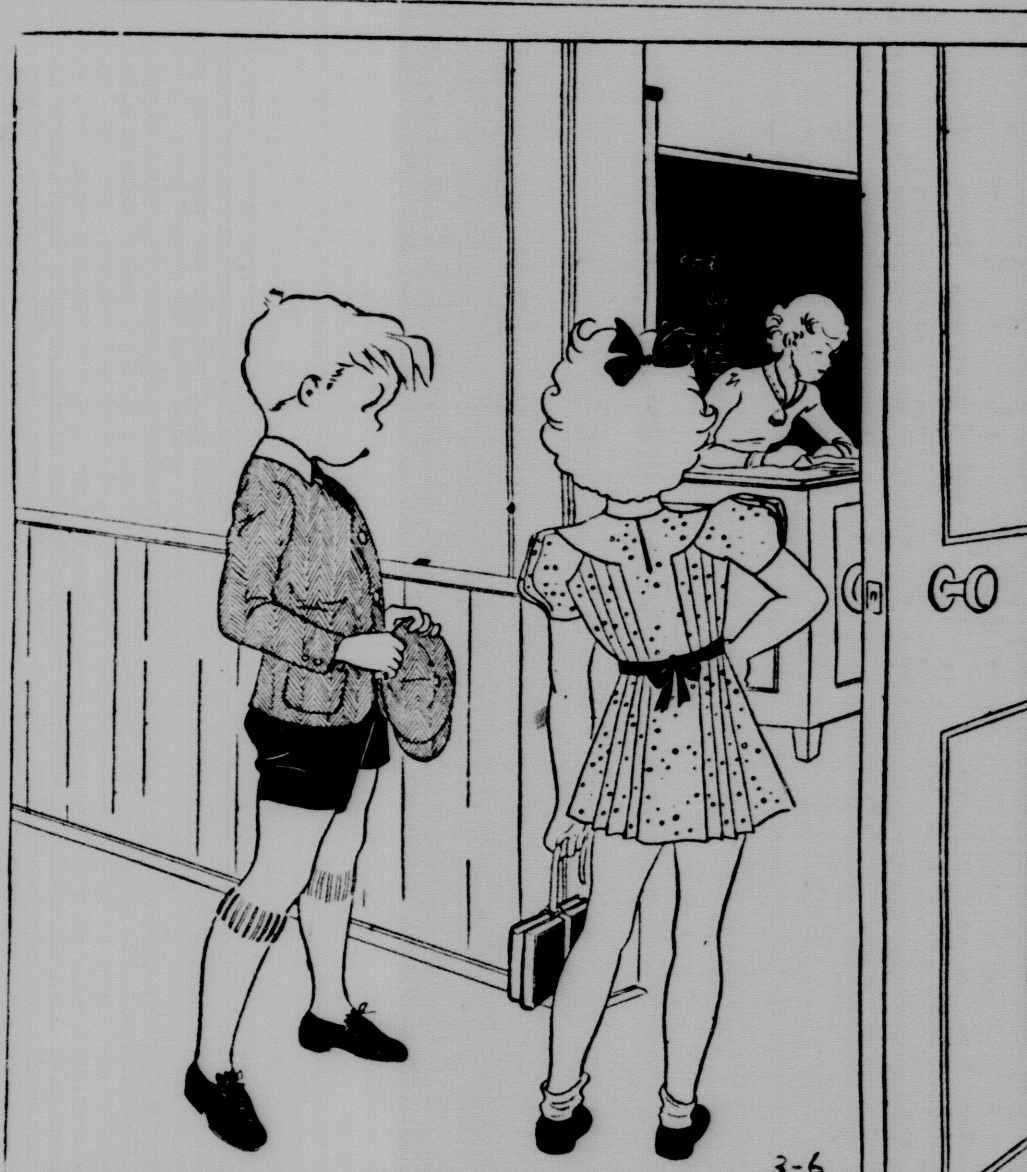


WASH FUBBS



Flapper Fanny

By Sylvia



This Curious World

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: Right. A portion of Iowa was left on the west side of the river, adjoining Omaha, when the Missouri changed its course some years ago.

NEXT: Where speeding is against the law of gravity!

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III—Business Service

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29—Repairing and Refinishing
RADIO-REFRIGERATION—WASHER SERVICE. All makes. Dahlike, 624 E. 16th.

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IV—Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female

GIRL—Or woman for general housework. Salary \$3.50 week. Address "A" care Democrat.

EXPERIENCED Beauty operator. Babbitt Beauty Shop, Phone 46, Warrensburg, Mo., or write 222 W. Clinton.

WANTED—Young woman married or single who wants pleasant position calling on several local teachers each week, representing educational plan. Satisfactory compensation to right person. Reply giving age, education, phone number and particulars. Post Office Box 455, Station "C," Kansas City, Mo.

33—Help Wanted—Male

CREAM—Fruit and vegetable routes. 1822 Ingram Ave.

MONTGOMERY-WARD—Needs 2 experienced appliance and one tire salesman. Excellent opportunity for advancement. Salary and commission.

WILL BE in Sedalia Wednesday to appoint distributor for "Electric Eye" approved burglar alarm system. Write giving references to Box "1" Democrat.

V—Financial

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

LOANS—FARM—CITY—4% to 5% Save 25% on your insurance. W. D. Smith, 307 Trust Bldg.

IF YOU—Want to build a new home, refinance or repair. See our special representative Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in my office. W. D. Smith, 307 Trust Bldg.

VII—Live Stock

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

YOUNG—Black mare. Phone 3F-22.

3 FRESH Jersey cows, sow and pigs. 1702 W. Broadway.

JERSEY COW, fresh soon. Also filly. Ewing Lakin, North 65.

CHESTNUT saddle gelding, 8 years. Leon Archias, Jr., Phone 1330.

FRESH HEIFER, calves, sows, pigs, planters, cook stove. Scotten 75-F22.

49—Poultry and Supplies

BABY CHICKS from Pettis County's finest egg strains. New hatch off every Tuesday. Custom Hatching service available. In stock Purina Feed, Peat Litter, Dr. Salisbury Poultry Health Products, and chick hardware items. "Starred" chicks while they last. Phone 3075 or call in person. Sedalia Chick Hatchery, 406 West Second.

BABY CHICKS—See us before you buy. Also feeds and poultry supplies. Bagby Poultry Farm, 318 W. 2nd. Phone 975.

VIII—Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale

GOOD USED furnaces. Limited supply. Phone 101, Holland Furnace Co.

FOR CHILI supplies, wholesale and retail, call I. Kanter, 118 E. Main. Phone 656.

55A—Farm Equipment

1927 FORDSON motor, used one season. Gordon Williams, Windsor, Route 1.

FORDSON—Tractor, Tandem, Plow and Cultivator. To be sold at auction, March 13, Mo. Pacific Stock Yards.

56—Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers

FOR SALE—Soy bean hay and prairie hay. Phone 648.

WINDSOR—Screen lump coal, \$4.00 ton. Phone 3755.

COAL—\$4.00 ton; \$2.80 ton by load. Blauie Phone 7F-22.

BROOKER FUEL—Stanley Coal Co. 120 N. Ohio. Phone 26.

FANCY baled timothy hay, \$6.50 per ton. John Blum, Smithton.

COAL—Screened lump, \$4.00 and \$4.25; stoker \$3.25. Phone 687.

COAL—Windsor Genuine Deep Shaft screened lump. \$4.25 ton. Call C. T. McGee.

TALED soy bean and lespedeza hay. Also sargo heads. W. O. Stanley, Phone 25.

57—Good Things to Eat

HOT CROSS RUNS—Every Wednesday during Lent. Wade's Bake Shop.

FRESH FISH—Daily. Carp, Buffalo, Cat and Crappie. Home Fruit Market, 216 W. 2nd. Phone 465. Free delivery.

59—Household Goods

ATWATER-KENT—Highboy Radio. A bargain. 638 E. 10th St.

SPECIAL—Urbil March 15. Hoover Sweeper \$19.95. CALDWELL'S, 307 S. OHIO. PHONE 206. Call us for demonstration.

62—Musical Merchandise

SPECIAL SALE—On new and used pianos. Priced to sell, \$15.00 up. Shaw Bros. Phone 654.

VIII—Merchandise

Continued—

63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers

LESTEDZA—\$3.75 hundred Timothy \$1.50 bu. E. M. Green, Hughesville.

FOR STARKS trees and shrubs call 862 J. M. James.

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Colleges To National Tournament

Kansas City Will Hold National Basketball Tourney March 13 and 18

KANSAS CITY, March 6.—Special—"Many are called but few are chosen," might well have been the theme of Emil Liston as he discussed the National Inter-Collegiate Basketball Tournament which will be staged in Kansas City, March 13-18. Liston, athletic director at Baker University, is managing director of the tournament.

Coach Liston was spurring enthusiasm as he discussed the event and gave reasons to support his prediction that the 1939 parade of cage champions will go a long way in establishing Kansas City as the permanent basketball capital of the nation.

One thing that in certain to make the coming tournament a hectic one is that he has had returned most of the 200 entry blanks sent college and university teams throughout the country. The returns are from teams eager to enter if they can qualify either by winning their conference titles or by making such spectacular records during the season that entrance cannot be denied. Out of a field of 200 teams the championship bracket will be boiled down to 32 teams. The United States is divided up into 16 districts and two championship teams are named from each district. Selection is made by the 16 district chairmen.

Among the teams certain to be in the lineup this year are Warrensburg, last year's champion, St. Ambrose of Davenport, Iowa, and Duquesne University of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

For a while during the season the position of the Warrensburg Mules was clouded in doubt, but by nipping Springfield Teachers they won a clear title to the M. I. A. A. championship and at the same time opened the gate for their entry into the national tournament.

The St. Ambrose cagers went into the quarter-finals in last year's tournament and fans and those connected with the tournament hope they will go far in the 1939 title chase. The Saints earned the right to vie for national honors when they beat Columbia and clinched the Iowa conference title for the second straight year. St. Ambrose lost only one game in 15 starts this season.

A probable starter from the eastern front is Duquesne University. The sharp-shooting, fleet-footed Pittsburghers have polished off a long list of highly touted eastern teams and they are looking with longing eyes on the Kansas City tournament.

Since the middle section of the country is a hot bed of basketball and has so many outstanding teams in the field, officials hope that it might be possible to add an extra representative from Missouri and Kansas. Under the present setup only two teams may be entered from those states unless other sections fail to send less than their allotted number of two teams.

The tournament will be the only nation-wide inter-collegiate

tournament staged in the United States this year and the winner of it will have a clear claim to the national crown.

Increase Bass Distribution

JEFFERSON CITY, March 6.—Having set a new all-time record for bass distribution in Missouri waters last year with a total of more than a million fingerlings, the Missouri Conservation Commission this week said distribution in 1939 could be doubled if conservation groups would help improve their own sport. The Commission will furnish bass fry for cooperative rearing ponds as a part of this fishing improvement program.

Conservation groups have already completed arrangements to care for the fry in two ponds in Dent County, two in Morgan County, and a lake at Cape Girardeau. Bass reared to planting size in the Dent County ponds will be used to stock Meramec and Current Rivers, while fish reared in Morgan County are to be placed in the Lake of the Ozarks.

Possibilities of this cooperative fish rearing program are indicated by the 139,500 bass fry stocked on this basis in rearing ponds sponsored by the Joplin Izaak Walton League, the Clinton County Sportsmen's Club and the Randolph County Fish and Game Association.

Since it is now possible for the Conservation Commission to produce more bass than can be reared to the advanced fingerling stage in its own rearing ponds, it is believed the cooperative fish rearing plan will aid materially in stocking local streams. With its vastly expanding hatchery system and facilities, the Commission could produce at little cost many millions of bass fry annually. Since the loss of bass fry when planted in open water is large, the Commission does not plant fry, but rears bass to fingerling size before planting in lakes and streams.

The Conservation Commission said it would furnish either small mouthed or large mouthed black bass fry for stocking approved rearing ponds. The only requirements are that the local organization maintain the rearing ponds, care for the fish, and plant them in adaptable public waters nearby.

If ponds offered by conservation groups are approved and the cooperative agreement signed by April 1, the fry will be planted at the Commission's expense this spring.

Sooners Loss Give Tigers Title

MANHATTAN, Kas., March 6.—(P)—Whether the Big Six will have an undisputed basketball king or co-champions will be determined here tonight in a game between the ambitious Boy Scouts of Oklahoma and last place Kansas State.

The Sooners move into a deadlock for the championship if they defeat the Wildcats, a feat they needed an overtime period to accomplish at Norman, 37 to 35. An Oklahoma loss would give the title to Missouri, which has completed its schedule with seven victories in 10 games.

Oklahoma cleared the first barrier on its present road trip Saturday night by turning back Nebraska, 53 to 45.

Tonight's contest brings together Homer Wesche, thin-man center for Kansas State and his chief rival for conference scoring honors, Jimmy McNatt of the Sooners. They are the only returning members of the 1938 All-Big Six team.

Wesche needs 20 points to break the season's total hung up by Frank Groves, center at the same school in 1937. McNatt trails Wesche by 18 points.

Final MCAA Standings			
W. L.	Pct.	Pts.	OP
Westminster	10	2,833	357 314
Tarkio	9	3,750	390 312
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Drury	8	4,667	355 297
Central	3	9,250	381 405
Missouri Val.	3	9,250	375 434
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W. L.	Pct.	Pts.	OP
Warrensburg	9	1,900	349 275
Springfield	7	3,700	342 306
Maryville	6	4,600	304 308
Cape Girardeau	5	5,500	293 289
Kirksville	3	7,300	268 308
Mo. Mines	0	10,000	260 328

Final Junior Conference Standings			
W. L.	Pct.	Pts.	OP
Flat River	9	0	1,000 342 197
St. Joseph	9	1	900 324 248
Trenton	9	3	750 412 331
Kemper	6	4	600 342 412
Wentworth	4	4	500 238 273
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Timely Briefs From The Ball Training Camps

NEW ORLEANS—Hal Trosky is going to be a few days late checking in at the Cleveland Indians' training camp, but it's okay with Manager Oscar Vitt. There is a new infielder in the Trosky household at Norway, Ia. The remainder of the Indians' squad was expected today.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—Joe McCarthy, manager of the world champion New York Yankees, keeps his answers handy. When it became known yesterday that Spurgeon (Spud) Chandler would be lost at least half the season because of a broken ankle, someone suggested to McCarthy he faced a problem as to starting pitchers. "It's not the starters you have to worry about, give me the finishers," retorted Marse Joe.

BATON ROUGE, La.—There are more of Horace Stoneham's ball players in the capital today than Louisiana legislators. Besides the full contingent of New York Giants working out on one side of the city, the Jersey City farm club is encamped on the other outskirts. The Giants' batterymen arrived from Hot Springs, Ark., yesterday.

ORLANDO, Fla.—It's hard to find baseball magnates who will admit their unsigned players are holdouts. Maybe they know something—some of the salary powwows are popularly thought to be ballyhoo. Anyway President Clark Griffith of the Washington Senators said he expected no trouble signing the recalcitrant Buddy Myer. "We always manage to work out our difficulties," he explained.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—President Sam Breadon of the St. Louis Cardinals took occasion today to disillusion again any club owners who might be hoping to benefit from the holdout of slugging Joseph Michael Medwick. "Nothing doing," he broadcast to all. "We're not trading Medwick under any circumstances."

SARASOTA, Fla.—The Boston Red Soxers, whose Sunday off was the only one they'll get in camp, made up for lost time today with a double workout. Manager Joe Cronin ordered his regulars out this morning and turned his attention this afternoon to the promising rookie squad.

TAMPA, Fla.—Manager Bill McKechnie of the Cincinnati Reds says he will carry just five outfielders this year, so Stanley Bordagaray and Tony Bongy are battling for the one available spot. They're pals off the field.

NEW BRAUNFELS, Tex.—The Phillies' first training camp game left Manager Doc Prothro more disappointed today with the hitting of his regulars than pleased with his own pitching. "Not one of them had any snap in his swing and all were fooled by the easiest kind of pitches."

LAKE LAND, Fla.—With the entire squad due in camp tomorrow, the Detroit Tigers face an increasingly rigorous training program this week. Linwood (Schoolboy) Rowe and Rookie Fred Hutchinson are sharing most of the attention of visitors.

AVALON, Calif.—Phil Cavarretta is holding down first base in workouts of the Chicago Cubs these days, indicating to some observers Manager Gabby Hartnett means to give him the starting nod over Rip Collins. The favored outfield combination has been Augie Galan, Hank Leiber and Joe Marty.

BRADENTON, Fla.—Refreshed by a day of rest, Boston's Bees went on a new practice schedule today—the Rookies in the morning and the regulars in the afternoon. Debs Garms, apparently ousted from left field by Al Simmons, donned his uniform for his first workout and was shunted into a battle for third base.

LAKE CHARLES, La.—Connie Mack labelled the initial intramural game of his Philadelphia Athletics a "huge success." The veteran leader liked the sparkling play of Joe Gantenbein at third base and at bat as well as the zip of Bill Lillard, his new shortstop.

PASADENA, Calif.—The Chicago White Sox are grooming

Eric McNair for second base in the event Jack Hayes doesn't recover properly from an operation on his knee. Luke Appling was due today, leaving only the ailing Gerald Walker still out of the fold.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex.—Their calisthenics and warming up over, the St. Louis Browns turned to more specific drills today. Manager Fred Haney called on the pitchers to try some of their stuff, with the batters giving a rebuttal. The signing of Roy Hughes, reserve infielder last year, brought the squad nearer a full complement.

CLEARWATER, Fla.—Manager Leo Durocher of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who made a lot of Brooklyn's gasp by indicating he probably would play Tuck Stainback in the outfield ahead of Goody Rosen, explained it all with one question today: "Why shouldn't I play Stainback? With him in there last year we played 500 ball. That'd get us in the first division."

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif.—Most of the Pittsburgh Pirates pitchers were losing the soreness caused by their first conditioning today, but a few ailments hung on. Russell Bauers limped on blistered feet, Mace Brown's legs were stiff from chasing flies and Truett Sewell spent the week-end in his hotel room with a sore throat.

Victors For Cage Tourneys

By The Associated Press.

Last year's class A school basketball champion, two district title-holders who repeated this year, and an undefeated quintet from Jefferson City appeared today the best bets to fight it out for the state championship.

The district tournaments, which were wound up Saturday in a flurry of contests, resulted in six Class A and 16 Class B championships.

Houston, defending Class A kings, repeated at Poplar Bluff, whipping Cape Girardeau 29 to 25. Rousty, 6-foot Eugene Watson, Houston center, as usual led the attack, this time with 11 points.

Houston grabbed an early lead, and was only headed once, when Cape managed to take the front 13 to 12 in the second period.

If Houston and Jefferson City meet in the state tourney, the southerners will have some competition. Jefferson City beat Hannibal 26 to 17 to run its consecutive string of victories to 19. It was Hannibal's third loss to the capital City five.

Trenton, at St. Joseph, and Christian Brothers College, at St. Louis, successfully defended their Class A district titles. Trenton nosed out St. Joseph Central, 25 to 22, with a fourth quarter drive, while C. B. C. easily topped St. Louis U. high 26 to 20.

In other Class A tournaments, William Christman, on his home floor at Independence, beat Rockhurst of Kansas City, 31 to 22, and Joplin downed Neosho, 39 to 30, at Neosho.

In Class B, Mountain View ran up the biggest score of the championships in beating competition, 47 to 22.

At Centralia, Glasgows high school five claimed its 41st consecutive victory in defeating Paris, 32 to 20.

Sutherland Quits As Pitt Coach

PITTSBURGH, March 6.—(P)—Chancellor John G. Bowman today accepted the resignation of Dr. John Bain (Jock) Sutherland as head football coach at the University of Pittsburgh, effective immediately.

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resignation offered unexpectedly by the noted coach last week.

"I have no immediate plans for the future," Sutherland said upon receipt of the letter from Bowman. He has been in contact however, with officials of Mississippi State College, which need a football coach.

"I feel confident that you have given full and deep thought to the whole problem," Bowman wrote the retiring coach. "With real regret therefore, assuming both from our spoken word and from your letter that you wish to resign I accept your resignation from the university by this letter effective at once as you request."

Just what the celebrated builder of great grid juggernauts and maker of all-Americans resigned was a matter of conjecture. Most of the coach's friends thought the turbulent history of athletics at the school during the past two years was the cause. Southerland coached the Pitt Panthers for 15 years.

M. U. Gridsters To Spring Practice

COLUMBIA, Mo., March 6.—Coach Don Raurot issued a call to all candidates for the 1939 Missouri football team to report for uniforms today.

Fifty gridgers, 15 of them varsity lettermen, are expected to participate in spring practice. Paul Christman, sophomore sensation last fall, will absent himself from spring duty in favor of baseball as will Bob Faurot and Jim Starnner, both lettermen.

Clay Cooper and Al Seidel, both lettermen, will not practice because of track duties and injuries will keep Bob Waldorf and Raymond Shultz idle.

Walter Boain, 1937 letterman end, and Bill Cunningham, star freshman fullback two years ago who broke a leg at the start of the 1938 campaign, will work out this spring and both may be in school next fall.

Mungo Signs With Dodgers

CLEARWATER, Fla. Mar. 6.—Executive Vice-President Larry McPhail announced today Vay Mungo had signed a contract to pitch for the Brooklyn Dodgers at a salary of \$5,000, one-third of his 1938 stipend.

Mungo moved his baggage into the Brooklyn hotel headquarters here and worked out with the club this morning.

Mungo, who had engaged in a lengthy verbal exchange with the Brooklyn management over the salary cut, was signed with no ifs, ands or buts," MacPhail said. The fireball hurler won only four games and lost eleven last season.

California

(By Mrs. J. E. Zey)
William O. Dunham, 76, died at the home of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Earl Dunham, where he had made his home for the past ten years, Sunday, February 26. He had been ill of influenza for two weeks and pneumonia developed. He was born at McGirk, Wis. His wife, who preceded him in death ten years ago, was Miss Alice Yarnell. They were the parents of two sons, Edgar and Earl Dunham. Earl died March 27, 1938. He is survived by three grandchildren, Bill Dunham and Mrs. George Schwab, of Kansas City, and Miss Margie Dunham at home. There is one great grandson, Jerry Lee Schwab, and one

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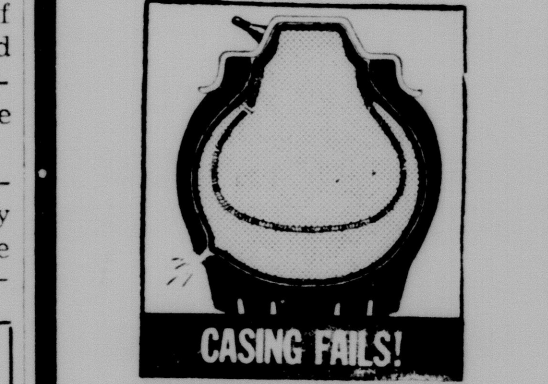
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sister, Mrs. Hattie Hill, of Muskogee, Okla. Funeral services were held at Flag Spring Baptist church where he had been a member and deacon for many years on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. T. J. Smith officiated.

Mrs. Pansy Powell, English instructor in the high school, received word Tuesday evening that her brother, Merle Hawkins, had been killed a few hours before when he fell from a wagon at the farm home of his father, P. A. Hawkins, near Gower, Mo. His neck was broken in the fall. Mrs. Powell left late Tuesday for Gower.

William Heyssel, who lives north of here, died at the St. Joseph hospital in Boonville Wednesday. The body was brought here by the Williams and Friedmeyer ambulance. It lay in state until Saturday afternoon and was then taken to Jamestown, Mo., where funeral services were held at the Lutheran church by the pastor. He is survived by one brother, Emil Heyssel, and one sister, Mrs. Edward Willers, both of Jamestown.

Mrs. W. B. McGraw, 9619 Independence avenue, Kansas City, who has been seriously ill at her home, is reported to be improved. The Rev. and Mrs. McGraw are former California residents.

Mrs. Fredrick Hert is in Kansas City at the bedside of her father, Charles Reynold, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. H. F. Farmer was operated on for appendicitis at the Van Ravensway clinic in Boonville on Wednesday morning. Her condition is reported to be satisfactory.

Mrs. H. C. Thomas is very ill. The four-month-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. David Cone is very ill.

Aubrey Freeman is very ill with pneumonia at the Latham Sanitarium.

Postmaster Leonard Moore is confined to his home with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart announce the birth of a daughter at their home on February 24. She has been named Eunice Lorene.

Mrs. Roy Williams, accompanied by Miss Eva Yorst, left for her home at Laguna Beach, Calif., on Thursday. Mrs. Williams has been here and in St. Louis since last fall.

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ted her 78th birthday at her home on Sunday, having a number of relatives for dinner.

Mrs. Bernard Houser is quite ill at her home with the flu. Mrs. Henry Rentschler went to Kansas City Saturday to be with her niece, Miss Helen Ganzer, who was operated on at St. Lukes Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dorzab are both ill at their home. Miss Marian Flynt, of the high school faculty, has been ill with the flu during the last week.

Dr. H. G. Norman, who was operated on in a Kansas City hospital several weeks ago, remains in a serious condition at the Latham Sanitarium, where he was brought three weeks ago. Judge J. R. Elliot is able to be downtown, after having been confined to his home for some time with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones have been quite ill at their home during the past week.

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THURSDAY MARCH 9TH — 10:30 A. M.

— LIVESTOCK —
1—Extra good work horse.
1—Bay mare, in foal, good.
1—5-yr.-old mare in foal, extra good.
1—1-yr.-old black mule colt.
1—5-yr.-old Jersey cow, calf by side (extra good).
1—Red sow and 9 pigs.
1—Thoroughbred Duroc Jersey sow, pig by day of sale.
3—Thoroughbred Duroc Jersey gilts, farrow in March.
2—Thoroughbred Duroc Jersey gilts, farrow in April.
1—Registered Duroc Boar, extra good.
35—Ewes, 2 yrs. old, heavy with lamb.
1—Good Buck.
1—New Masculator.
24—Thoroughbred White English Leghorn hens.
24—White Rocks.
8—Roosters.

— IMPLEMENTS —
1—Set double harness.
1—Set single harness.
Horse collars.
1—Saddle; 1—Riding bridle.
1—Sulky plow; 1—6-shovel plow.
1—5-tooth garden plow.
1—Hand garden plow.
1—Double shovel.
1—2-section harrow.
1—Busy Bee Cultivator.
1—16-inch walking plow.
1—Good corn planter.
1—Sulky rake, 10-foot; good.
1—Moving machine, McCormick good.
1—New lawn mower, ball bearing.
1—Sheep rack.
3—Sheep feed troughs.
1—Low iron wheel wagon and tight box.
1—Hay frame.
16—Hedge posts.
1—Kerosene tank; 25 gals. coal oil.

— MISCELLANEOUS —
1—Ice box.
1—Sickle sharpener.
1—New Perfection Coal Oil stove.
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1—Good cook stove range.
1—New car battery.
1—Battery radio set—good.
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